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PSRO TECHNICAL DOCUMENT COLLECTION

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Introduction

Capital Systems Group has been collecting technical documents of interest to groups and individuals concerned with the organization and implementation of PSROs since the fall of 1973. Under Contract No. HSA 240-76-0018, CSG has established an information clearinghouse and technical document collection, which now contains over 5,000 journal articles, books, government documents, speeches, proceedings, and technical reports, dealing with one or several of the following subject areas:

- PSRO legislation
- Evaluation of the quality of health care delivery
- Concepts of peer review
- Standards, norms, and criteria for screening and care
- Health data management information systems
- Economics of health care delivery, as applicable to PSROs
- Education and accreditation of health manpower
- Descriptions of on-going peer review programs and clinical trial studies.

This thesaurus first appeared in June 1975, after the clearinghouse had gained some experience with the kind of documents it was collecting. Since then the collection has expanded; as new concepts have arisen in the field and the PSRO program has undergone substantial evolutionary change, the thesaurus needed updating. The second edition appeared in March 1977; this third edition reflects further changes: it has been enlarged and reorganized in some areas so that more detailed indexing is possible.

Any collection of documents is of value only when the information contained in it can be retrieved in a relevant and exhaustive manner. Besides the obvious

bibliographic items such as author, title, source, and publisher, points of access to the collection are provided by various subject and nonsubject data fields captured by index term assignation.

Two types of index terms have been developed for this collection which are applied to each abstracted document: category terms and keywords. A main category term is chosen to identify the document and divide the collection into mutually exclusive areas.

The categories are:

HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT
HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
MANPOWER
FINANCE, ECONOMICS
LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS
DATA PROCESSING
STATISTICS, DEMOGRAPHY
CLINICAL TRIAL STUDIES
MISCELLANEOUS
STANDARDS, NORMS, CRITERIA
SOCIAL PHENOMENA
TAGS

The term DATA PROCESSING is used to refer to matters of both electronic and manual data processing, communication and documentation, medical records and record systems, etc. The terms CLINICAL TRIAL STUDIES and MISCELLANEOUS have no hierarchical structure beneath them and so have not been given separate pages in the Thesaurus Categorized Listing of Entry Terms. The terms SOCIAL PHENOMENA and TAGS were designed as catchalls for a number of related terms, but they are not to be used for indexing or searching. A few other terms, heading narrower terms in the Categorized Listing, are also not to be used for indexing or searching. All these non-searchable terms are labeled with an asterisk (*). For example,

NAMED GROUPS OF PERSONS, under MANPOWER, heads a list of personnel categories, but the term itself is not used for indexing.

In-depth indexing of the document for purposes of retrieval is achieved by the assignation of keywords which identify concepts; anatomical terms, diseases, drugs, organisms, techniques; disciplines, professions; geographic locations; proper names and acronyms; organizations; and tags identifying document type, form, and nondiscipline-related content. On the average, 10 to 15 keywords are assigned to each document.

Entry terms constituting the control vocabulary for the collection are based on MeSH. The MeSH terminology is more than adequate for designation of all diseases, specialties, drugs, or anatomical terms. Any MeSH term in these areas may be used as a keyword in indexing a document. MeSH terminology, however, was found inadequate for in-depth indexing of concepts covering the quality of health care delivery. This thesaurus was therefore developed as a supplement to MeSH and as a condensation of MeSH for easier indexing of the PSRO document collection.

The Quality of Health Care Thesaurus consists of

A. Alphabetic Listing of Entry Terms - Contains entry terms, whether MeSH or CSG, which are particularly germane to the PSRO data base.

B. Categorized Listing of Entry Terms - Displays the terms as they hierarchically fit into the categories developed for the data base.

C. Main Part - Contains, in alphabetical order, all keywords, category terms and references from synonymous terms to preferred thesaurus terms. All real entry terms are shown in capital letters; all synonymous terms that are not to be used for indexing or searching purposes are shown in upper/lower case letters.

The left column contains cross references between all

1. Synonymous Terms

   Example: Adequacy of Care use LEVEL OF CARE

   LEVEL OF CARE
   x Adequacy of Care

   Use the term LEVEL OF CARE instead of the term Adequacy of Care. The small 'x' under LEVEL OF CARE indicates that Adequacy of Care has been replaced by LEVEL OF CARE.

2. Broader and Narrower Terms

   Example: FACULTY
   BT EDUCATION
   NT FACULTY, DENTAL
   FACULTY, MEDICAL

   Broader (BT) and Narrower (NT) terms refer to the terms that hierarchicall precede and follow the entry term in the Categorized Listing.

3. Related Terms

   Example: AMBULATORY CARE
   x Outpatient Care
   BT DELIVERY OF HEALTH CARE
   RT HOSPITAL OUTPATIENT CLINICS

   Related (RT) terms are those which are connected in subject matter to the entry term but do not fall in its immediate hierarchical area in the Categorized Listing.

The right column shows the MeSH number(s) for MeSH terms, the CSG category term(s), scope notes and miscellaneous information.

D. Acronym Authority List - Any organization, program, system, or concept on this list may be indexed and searched by its acronym. Some of these acronyms are so commonly used that they also appear under the Categorized Listing of Terms; for example, FMG (foreign medical graduate) under MANPOWER, MCE (medical care evaluation) under HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT, HMO (health maintenance organization) under HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES. Please refer to the Acronym Authority List for the full name of an acronym listed under entry terms.

Notes on Indexing and Searching

1. Subject Concepts:

This thesaurus has been prepared to accommodate very specific indexing techniques. Most individual terms refer to one concept, one type of person, one type of facility, etc. They can therefore be combined in indexing or searching to get a large variety of concepts.

Example:

Elderly patients can be indexed or searched as PATIENTS; and AGED

Regional Emergency Systems as REGIONAL SYSTEMS and EMERGENCY HEALTH SERVICES

Hospitals, Quality Control as HOSPITALS and QUALITY CONTROL

Licensure, FMG as LICENSURE and FMG and so on.

2. Anatomical Terms, Diseases, Drugs, Organisms, Techniques:

For all these types of terms, use MeSH terminology.

Example:

Ear
Myocardial Infarct
Morphine
Amoeba
Angiography

3. Disciplines, Professions:

For all these types of terms, use MeSH terminology.

Example:

Cardiology
Ophthalmology
Surgery, Vascular

4. Geographic Locations:

Any institution that is used as an indexing term should be clarified as to city and state, with additional terms defining the latter two.

Example:

Passavant Hospital, Chicago, Illinois;
Chicago, Illinois;
Illinois;

This would be a complete set of terms for that hospital. If a city or county is not included, the state will always suffice. A foreign country is usually a sufficiently specific term, along with the tag INTERNATIONAL. If a large number of foreign countries are mentioned, the term INTERNATIONAL may be used without the names of all the countries mentioned. Similarly, if the document includes discussion of programs in many different states, the term MULTISTATE may be used without a listing of each state mentioned.

5. Proper Names:

Examples:

Califano, Joseph A. [Secretary, DHEW];
Kennedy, Sen. Edward M. [D-Mass];
Rostenkowski, Rep. Dan [D-Ill];

6. Organizations:

Use the parent organization followed by the specific bureau or group.

Examples:

AMA, Cancer Advisory Committee
University of Buffalo, Health Sciences Center,
Buffalo, New York

A final note:

We hope the Thesaurus will continue to be used as an aid to those involved with quality of health care literature in particular, and medical literature in general. Please direct any comments, questions, or suggestions for useful terms to the authors.

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Alphabetic Listing of Entry Terms

ABBREVIATIONS
ACCESS TO SERVICE
ACCOUNTABILITY
ACCREDITATION
ACCREDITATION, CERTIFICATION, LICENSURE
ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL
ADULT
ADVERTISING
AGE FACTORS
AGED
ALLIED HEALTH PERSONNEL
AMBULANCES
AMBULATORY CARE
AMBULATORY CARE FACILITIES
ANCILLARY SERVICES
ANTISUBSTITUTION LAWS
ANTITRUST
APPOINTMENTS AND SCHEDULES
APPROPRIATENESS OF CARE
ARCHIVE
ASSIGNMENT PATTERNS
ATTITUDE OF HEALTH PERSONNEL
ATTITUDE TO HEALTH
AUDIO-VISUAL
AUDIO-VISUAL AIDS
AUDIT
AUTOPSY
BED RATES
BEHAVIORAL FACTORS
BENEFITS
BI-CYCLE CONCEPT
BIBLIOGRAPHY
BLOOD BANKS
BOOK
BOOK REVIEW
BUDGET
BUREAUCRACY
BYLAWS
CARE CRITERIA
CASE STUDIES
CERTIFICATION
CHILD
CHILD HEALTH ASSOCIATES
CHILD HEALTH SERVICES
CLASSIFICATION
CLIA
CLINICAL COMPETENCE
CLINICAL RESEARCH
CLINICAL TRIAL STUDIES
CLINICAL TRIALS
COMMUNICATION
COMMUNITY HEALTH AIDES
COMMUNITY HEALTH SERVICES

COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES
COMMUNITY NEED ASSESSMENT
COMPENSATION
COMPETITION
COMPREHENSIVE DENTAL CARE
COMPREHENSIVE HEALTH CARE
COMPUTER HARDWARE EVALUATION
COMPUTER PROGRAMMING
COMPUTER SOFTWARE EVALUATION
COMPUTERS
CON
CONCURRENT REVIEW
CONFIDENTIALITY
CONGRESSIONAL HEARINGS
CONSULTANTS
CONSUMER EDUCATION
CONSUMER ORGANIZATIONS
CONSUMER PARTICIPATION
CONSUMER SATISFACTION
CONSUMERS
CONTENT APPROACH
CORONARY CARE UNITS
COST CONTROL
COST EFFECTIVENESS
COST PREDICTION
COSTS AND COST ANALYSIS
COUNSELING
COURT CASES
CRITERIA
CULTURE
CURRENT AWARENESS
CURRICULUM
CYBERNETICS
DATA ANALYSIS
DATA BASE
DATA GATHERING
DATA PROCESSING
DAY SURGERY FACILITY
DECISION PROCESS
DEDUCTIBLES AND COINSURANCE
DEFINITIONS
DELEGATED REVIEW
DELIVERY OF HEALTH CARE
DELPHI APPROACH
DEMAND FOR SERVICES
DEMONSTRATION PROJECTS
DENTAL ASSISTANTS
DENTAL AUDIT
DENTAL CARE
DENTAL HYGIENISTS
DENTAL RECORDS
DENTAL THERAPISTS
DENTAL VISITS
DENTIST-PATIENT RELATIONS
DENTISTS
DEVELOPING COUNTRIES

DIAGNOSES
DIAGNOSIS
DIAGNOSTIC SERVICES
DISABILITY EVALUATION
DISCLOSURE
DOCUMENT FORM/TYPE
DRAFT
DRUG ABUSE
DRUG AND NARCOTIC CONTROL
DRUG CONTAINERS AND CLOSURES
DRUG COSTS
DRUG EVALUATION
DRUG INDUSTRY
DRUG LABELING
DRUG RESISTANCE
DRUG THERAPY
DRUGS
DRUGS, ADVERSE REACTIONS
ECONOMICS, MEDICAL
EDUCATION
EDUCATION, ALLIED HEALTH
EDUCATION, CONTINUING
EDUCATION, DENTAL
EDUCATION, MEDICAL
EDUCATION, MEDICAL, CONTINUING
EDUCATION, MEDICAL, GRADUATE
EDUCATION, NURSING
EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES
EMERGENCY HEALTH SERVICES
ENVIRONMENTAL FACTORS
EPIDEMIOLOGY
EPONYMS
ETHICS
ETHICS, MEDICAL
ETHNIC GROUPS
EVALUATION METHODOLOGIES
EXAMS
EXPERT TESTIMONY
EXTENDED CARE FACILITIES
FACULTY
FACULTY, DENTAL
FACULTY, MEDICAL
FAMILY CHARACTERISTICS
FAMILY PLANNING
FAMILY PRACTICE
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT
FEDERAL REGULATION
FEE-FOR-SERVICE
FEE SCHEDULES
FEES AND CHARGES
FINANCING, GOVERNMENT
FINANCING, ORGANIZED
FLOW CHARTS
FMG
FOCUSED REVIEW
FOLLOW-UP STUDIES

FOREIGN PROFESSIONAL PERSONNEL
FORMS
FORMULARIES
FOUNDATIONS
FRAUD
FTC
GENERIC PRESCRIBING
GEOGRAPHIC DISTRIBUTION
GEOGRAPHIC FACTORS
GOVERNING BOARD
GOVERNMENT
GOVERNMENT CONTROL
GOVERNMENT PROGRAMS
GROUP PLANS
GROUP PRACTICE
GROUP PRACTICE, PRE-PAID
GUIDELINES
HANDICAPPED
HEALTH AND WELFARE PLANNING
HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT
HEALTH CARE DELIVERY SYSTEMS
HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
HEALTH CARE INDUSTRY
HEALTH CARE PROVIDER
HEALTH DATA SYSTEMS
HEALTH DEPARTMENTS
HEALTH EDUCATION
HEALTH EXPENDITURES
HEALTH FACILITY SIZE
HEALTH INFORMATION
HEALTH RESOURCE FACTORS
HEALTH SERVICES ADMINISTRATION
HEALTH SERVICES RESEARCH
HEALTH STATUS
HEALTH SURVEYS
HEALTH SYSTEMS AGENCIES (HSA)
HEARINGS
HMO
HOME CARE SERVICES
HOME NURSING
HOSPICE
HOSPITAL ADMINISTRATION
HOSPITAL ADMISSIONS
HOSPITAL COMMUNICATION SYSTEMS
HOSPITAL COSTS
HOSPITAL DENTAL SERVICE
HOSPITAL DENTAL STAFF
HOSPITAL DEPARTMENTS
HOSPITAL DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION
HOSPITAL DISCHARGE
HOSPITAL EMERGENCY SERVICE
HOSPITAL EMERGENCY STAFF
HOSPITAL FOOD SERVICE
HOSPITAL MAINTENANCE
HOSPITAL MEDICAL STAFF

HOSPITAL MEDICATION SYSTEMS
HOSPITAL NURSING SERVICE
HOSPITAL NURSING STAFF
HOSPITAL PERSONNEL
HOSPITAL PHARMACISTS
HOSPITAL PHARMACY SERVICE
HOSPITAL PLANNING COMMITTEES
HOSPITAL PSYCHIATRIC DEPARTMENTS
HOSPITAL SERVICE AREAS
HOSPITAL SHARED SERVICES
HOSPITAL UNITS
HOSPITALIZATION
HOSPITALS
HOSPITALS, ACUTE CARE
HOSPITALS, COMMUNITY
HOSPITALS, GENERAL
HOSPITALS, GOVERNMENT
HOSPITALS, MILITARY
HOSPITALS, NON PROFIT
HOSPITALS, PROPRIETARY
HOSPITALS, PSYCHIATRIC
HOSPITALS, SPECIAL
HOSPITALS, TEACHING
HOSPITALS, URBAN
HOSPITALS, VETERANS
HUMAN EXPERIMENTATION
IMMUNIZATION
IMPACT APPROACH
INCENTIVES
IN HOUSE REVIEW
INCOME
INCORPORATION STATUTES
INFANT
INFECTIONS COMMITTEE
INFORMATION NEEDS
INFORMATION SYSTEMS
INFORMED CONSENT
INSERVICE TRAINING
INSTITUTIONAL ECONOMICS
INSTITUTIONAL PRACTICE
INSTITUTIONAL REVIEW
INSURANCE CARRIERS
INSURANCE CLAIMS
INSURANCE, HEALTH
INSURANCE, HEALTH, CATASTROPHIC
INSURANCE, LIABILITY
INSURANCE PREMIUMS
INTENSIVE CARE UNITS
INTERMEDIATE CARE FACILITY
INTERNATIONAL
INTERNSHIP AND RESIDENCY

INTERPROFESSIONAL RELATIONS
INTERVIEW
INVESTMENT
JURISPRUDENCE
LABOR UNIONS
LABORATORIES
LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS
LENGTH OF STAY
LETTER
LEVEL OF CARE
LIABILITY
LIABILITY, CORPORATE
LIABILITY EXEMPTION
LICENSING BOARDS
LICENSURE
LICENSURE, INSTITUTIONAL
LICENSURE, LAWS
LIFE EXPECTANCY
LOCAL GOVERNMENT
LONG TERM CARE
MAC
MALPRACTICE
MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS
MANPOWER
MASS SCREENING
MATERNAL HEALTH SERVICES
MCE
MEASURES
MEDICAID
MEDICAL AUDIT
MEDICAL RECORDS
MEDICAL RECORDS LIBRARIANS
MEDICARE
MEDICATION SYSTEMS
MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES
METHODS
MINORITY GROUPS
MOBILE HEALTH UNITS
MODELS, MATHEMATICAL
MODELS, PSYCHOLOGICAL
MODELS, THEORETICAL
MORBIDITY
MORTALITY
MOTION PICTURES
MULTIDISCIPLINARY AUDIT
MULTIPHASIC SCREENING
MULTISTATE
NAMED GROUPS OF PERSONS
NATIONAL HEALTH POLICY
NEGLIGENCE
NEIGHBORHOOD HEALTH CENTERS
NHI
NHI, ATTITUDES
NHI, COSTS

NHI, IMPLEMENTATION
NHI, PROPOSALS
NOMENCLATURE
NON-CONCEPTUAL CONTENTS
NON PHYSICIAN REVIEW
NURSE COORDINATORS
NURSE-PATIENT RELATIONS
NURSE PRACTITIONERS
NURSES
NURSES AIDES
NURSING AUDIT
NURSING CARE
NURSING HOMES
NURSING RECORDS
NURSING, SUPERVISORY
OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH SERVICES
OPERATING COSTS
OPERATING ROOMS
OPERATIONAL DESCRIPTIONS
OPERATIONS RESEARCH
ORGANIZATION AND ADMINISTRATION
ORGANIZATIONAL AFFILIATION
ORGANIZATIONS
OUTCOME APPROACH
OUT-OF-POCKET EXPENSES
OUTREACH
OWNERSHIP
PAMPHLET
PANEL DISCUSSION
PATIENT CARE MANAGEMENT
PATIENT CARE PLANNING
PATIENT CARE TEAM
PATIENT COMPLIANCE
PATIENT DROPOUTS
PATIENT INJURY
PATIENT MOVEMENT
PATIENT NEED ASSESSMENT
PATIENT PROFILES
PATIENTS
PEER REVIEW
PEER REVIEW COMMITTEES
PERIODICALS
PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT
PHARMACEUTICAL MANUFACTURERS
PHARMACIES
PHARMACISTS' AIDES
PHARMACY ADMINISTRATION
PHARMACY AND THERAPEUTICS COMMITTEE
PHDDS
PHYSICAL EXAMINATION
PHYSICIAN AVAILABILITY
PHYSICIAN CHARACTERISTICS

PHYSICIAN DISTRIBUTION
PHYSICIAN INCOME
PHYSICIAN-PATIENT RELATIONS
PHYSICIAN-PATIENTS
PHYSICIAN PERFORMANCE
PHYSICIAN VISITS
PHYSICIANS
PHYSICIANS' ASSISTANTS
PHYSICIANS' OFFICES
PL 92-603
PL 93-222
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PLANNING
PLANNING AGENCIES
PLANNING COSTS
POLICY
POLITICS
POMR
POPULATION CHARACTERISTICS
POSITION PAPER
POVERTY
PRACTICE MANAGEMENT, MEDICAL
PRE-ADMISSION CERTIFICATION
PREPAYMENT
PRESCRIPTIONS
PREVENTIVE HEALTH SERVICES
PRICING POLICY
PRIMARY HEALTH CARE
PRIVACY ACT
PRIVATE PRACTICE
PRIVATE REVIEW
PROBLEM ORIENTED APPROACH
PROCEEDINGS
PROCESS APPROACH
PRODUCTIVITY
PROFESSIONAL-PATIENT RELATIONS
PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE
PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE PATTERNS
PROFESSIONAL STAFF COMMITTEES
PROFESSIONAL-USER TIME
PROFILE ANALYSIS
PROGRAM EVALUATION
PROGRAM RESULTS
PROTOCOLS
PROXIMATE CAUSE
PSRO
PSRO, ALTERNATIVES
PSRO, ARCHIVES
PSRO, AREAS
PSRO, ATTITUDES
PSRO, CONTRACT MANAGEMENT
PSRO, COSTS
PSRO, GRANTS MANAGEMENT
PSRO, GUIDELINES

PSRO, HISTORY
PSRO, IMPLEMENTATION
PSRO, IMPLICATIONS
PSRO, INTENT
PSRO, JURISPRUDENCE
PSRO, LEGISLATION
PSRO, LOCAL REVIEW ORGANIZATIONS
PSRO, OPERATIONAL
PSRO, OPERATIONS
PSRO, OPPOSITION
PSRO, ORGANIZATION AND ADMINISTRATION
PSRO, PERSONNEL
PSRO, PHYSICIAN PARTICIPATION
PSRO, PROTOTYPES
PSRO, STATEWIDE SUPPORT CENTERS
PSYCHIATRIC AIDES
PSYCHOLOGICAL FACTORS
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE
PUBLIC HEALTH
PUBLIC INTEREST
PUBLIC RELATIONS
PUBLIC SERVICE
QUALITY ASSURANCE
QUALITY CONTROL
QUALITY REVIEW COSTS
RACIAL STOCKS
RADIO
RADIOLOGY
RATING SCALE
RECERTIFICATION
RECIPIENTS OF HEALTH CARE
RECORDS
RECOVERY ROOMS
REFERENCES
REFERRAL AND CONSULTATION
REGIONAL MEDICAL PROGRAMS
REGIONAL SYSTEMS
REGISTRIES
REIMBURSEMENT
REHABILITATION
RELIABILITY
RELICENSURE
RESEARCH
RESEARCH SUPPORT
RESIDENCE CHARACTERISTICS
RETROSPECTIVE REVIEW
RIGHTS
RISK MANAGEMENT
RURAL HEALTH SERVICES
RURAL POPULATION
SAFETY STANDARDS

SAMPLING STUDIES
SANCTIONS
SCHOOLS
SCHOOLS, DENTAL
SCHOOLS, MEDICAL
SECOND OPINION
SELF EVALUATION
SEX FACTORS
SHARED SERVICES
SNF
SOCIAL PHENOMENA
SOCIETIES, DENTAL
SOCIETIES, MEDICAL
SOCIOECONOMIC FACTORS
SPECIAL REPORT
SPECIALTIES, DENTAL
SPECIALTIES, MEDICAL
SPECIALTIES, NURSING
SPECIALTY BOARDS
SPECIALTY DISTRIBUTION
STAFFING
STANDARDS
STANDARDS, NORMS, CRITERIA
STANDARDS OF CARE
STATE
STATE GOVERNMENT
STATE MEDICINE
STATE-OF-THE-ART REVIEW
STATE REGULATION
STATISTICAL ANALYSIS
STATISTICAL TABLES
STATISTICS, DEMOGRAPHY
STRUCTURE APPROACH
STUDENT HEALTH SERVICES
STUDENTS
STUDENTS, DENTAL
STUDENTS, MEDICAL
SURGERY, NECESSITY
SWING BEDS
SYSTEMS ANALYSIS
TAGS
TASK PERFORMANCE AND ANALYSIS
TAXES
TECHNOLOGY
TELEVISION
THERAPEUTIC AUDIT
THERAPEUTIC EQUIVALENCY
THIRD PARTY PAYMENT
TRACER METHODOLOGY
TRAINING PROGRAMS
TRANSFER TRAUMA
TRANSPORT OF WOUNDED AND SICK
TREATMENT
TRUSTEES

UHDDS
URBAN HEALTH SERVICES
URBAN POPULATION
UTILIZATION
UTILIZATION, DRUG
UTILIZATION, HEALTH FACILITY
UTILIZATION, LABORATORY
UTILIZATION, MANPOWER
UTILIZATION REVIEW
UTILIZATION, SPATIAL
VITAL STATISTICS
WAGES AND SALARIES
WEIGHTS AND MEASURES
YOUNG ADULT

Categorized Listing of Entry Terms

HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT

ACCOUNTABILITY
APPROPRIATENESS OF CARE
AUDIT
  DENTAL AUDIT
  MEDICAL AUDIT
  MULTIDISCIPLINARY AUDIT
  NURSING AUDIT
CRITERIA
EVALUATION METHODOLOGIES
  AUTOPSY
  BI-CYCLE CONCEPT
  CONTENT APPROACH
  DELPHI APPROACH
  DISABILITY EVALUATION
  IMPACT APPROACH
  MCE
  MEASURES
  OUTCOME APPROACH
  PROBLEM ORIENTED APPROACH
  PROCESS APPROACH
  STRUCTURE APPROACH
  TRACER METHODOLOGY
PEER REVIEW
  CONCURRENT REVIEW
  DELEGATED REIVEW
  FOCUSED REVIEW
  IN HOUSE REVIEW
  INSTITUTIONAL REVIEW
  PEER REVIEW COMMITTEES
    NON PHYSICIAN REVIEW
  PRIVATE REVIEW
  RETROSPECTIVE REVIEW
PHYSICIAN PERFORMANCE
PROFILE ANALYSIS
PSRO
  CONSUMER PARTICIPATION
  LIABILITY EXEMPTION
  PSRO, ALTERNATIVES
  PSRO, ARCHIVES
  PSRO, ATTITUDES
    PSRO, POSITION PAPER
    PSRO, OPPOSITION
  PSRO, CONTRACT MANAGEMENT
  PSRO, GRANTS MANAGEMENT
PSRO, HISTORY
  PSRO, PROTOTYPES
PSRO, IMPLEMENTATION
  PSRO, AREAS
  PSRO, COSTS

PSRO, GUIDELINES
PSRO, LOCAL REVIEW ORGANIZATIONS
PSRO, OPERATIONAL
PSRO, ORGANIZATION AND ADMINISTRATION
PSRO, PERSONNEL
NURSE COORDINATORS
PSRO, PHYSICIAN PARTICIPATION
PSRO, STATEWIDE SUPPORT CENTERS
PSRO, IMPLICATIONS
PSRO, INTENT
PSRO, LEGISLATION
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PSRO, OPERATIONS
QUALITY ASSURANCE
QUALITY CONTROL
RELIABILITY
SELF EVALUATION
STANDARDS OF CARE
SURGERY, NECESSITY
TASK PERFORMANCE AND ANALYSIS
THERAPEUTIC AUDIT
UTILIZATION REVIEW

HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES

- AMBULATORY CARE FACILITIES
  - DAY SURGERY FACILITY
  - HMO
  - HOSPITAL OUTPATIENT CLINICS
- ANCILLARY SERVICES
  - BLOOD BANKS
  - LABORATORIES
  - RADIOLOGY
- COMMUNITY HEALTH SERVICES
  - CHILD HEALTH SERVICES
  - COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES
  - COUNSELING
    - FAMILY PLANNING
  - HOME CARE SERVICES
    - HOME NURSING
  - MATERNAL HEALTH SERVICES
  - NEIGHBORHOOD HEALTH CENTERS
  - OUTREACH
  - RURAL HEALTH SERVICES
  - URBAN HEALTH SERVICES
- DELIVERY OF HEALTH CARE
  - ACCESS TO SERVICE
  - AMBULATORY CARE
  - COMPREHENSIVE DENTAL CARE
  - COMPREHENSIVE HEALTH CARE
  - DEMAND FOR SERVICES
  - DENTAL CARE
  - DENTAL VISITS
  - DIAGNOSIS
  - HOSPITALIZATION
    - HOSPITAL ADMISSIONS
      - PRE-ADMISSION CERTIFICATION
    - HOSPITAL DISCHARGE
    - LENGTH OF STAY
  - LEVEL OF CARE
  - LONG TERM CARE
  - NURSING CARE
    - HOME NURSING
  - PATIENT CARE MANAGEMENT
    - PATIENT CARE PLANNING
    - PATIENT COMPLIANCE
    - PATIENT MOVEMENT
    - PATIENT NEED ASSESSMENT
  - PHYSICIAN VISITS
  - PRIMARY HEALTH CARE
  - REHABILITATION
  - STANDARDS OF CARE
  - TRANSFER TRAUMA
  - TREATMENT
- DRUGS
  - CLINICAL TRIALS
  - DRUG ABUSE

DRUGS (Cont.)
- DRUG AND NARCOTIC CONTROL
- DRUG CONTAINERS AND CLOSURES
- DRUG COSTS
- DRUG EVALUATION
- DRUG LABELING
- DRUG RESISTANCE
- DRUG THERAPY
- DRUGS, ADVERSE REACTIONS
- GENERIC PRESCRIBING
- MEDICATION SYSTEMS
  - HOSPITAL MEDICATION SYSTEMS
- PHARMACEUTICAL MANUFACTURERS
- PHARMACIES
- PHARMACY ADMINISTRATION
- PRESCRIPTIONS
- THERAPEUTIC EQUIVALENCY
- UTILIZATION, DRUG

EMERGENCY HEALTH SERVICES
- AMBULANCES
- HOSPITAL EMERGENCY SERVICE
- MOBILE HEALTH UNITS
- TRANSPORT OF WOUNDED AND SICK

EXTENDED CARE FACILITIES
- HOSPICE
- INTERMEDIATE CARE FACILITY
- NURSING HOMES
- SNF

HEALTH CARE DELIVERY SYSTEMS
- HOSPITAL SERVICE AREAS
- REGIONAL MEDICAL PROGRAMS
- REGIONAL SYSTEMS

HEALTH FACILITY SIZE
- SWING BEDS

HEALTH SERVICES ADMINISTRATION
- DECISION PROCESS
- ORGANIZATION AND ADMINISTRATION
  - APPOINTMENTS AND SCHEDULES
  - FEE SCHEDULES
  - FORMULARIES
  - GOVERNING BOARD
  - HOSPITAL ADMINISTRATION
    - HOSPITAL COMMUNICATION SYSTEMS
    - HOSPITAL MEDICATION SYSTEMS
    - HOSPITAL SHARED SERVICES
  - MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS
  - MEDICATION SYSTEMS
  - ORGANIZATIONAL AFFILIATION
  - OWNERSHIP
  - PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT
  - PHARMACY ADMINISTRATION

HEALTH SERVICES ADMINISTRATION (Cont.)
- PRACTICE MANAGEMENT, MEDICAL
- PUBLIC RELATIONS
- STAFFING
  - ASSIGNMENT PATTERNS

ORGANIZATIONS
- FOUNDATIONS
- SOCIETIES, DENTAL
- SOCIETIES, MEDICAL
  - SPECIALTY BOARDS

RECORDS
- DENTAL RECORDS
- MEDICAL RECORDS
  - POMR
- NURSING RECORDS
- PATIENT PROFILES
- REGISTRIES

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENTS
- HOSPITAL DENTAL SERVICE
- HOSPITAL EMERGENCY SERVICE
- HOSPITAL FOOD SERVICE
- HOSPITAL MAINTENANCE
- HOSPITAL NURSING SERVICE
- HOSPITAL OUTPATIENT CLINICS
- HOSPITAL PHARMACY SERVICE
- HOSPITAL PSYCHIATRIC DEPARTMENTS

HOSPITAL UNITS
- CORONARY CARE UNITS
- INTENSIVE CARE UNITS
- OPERATING ROOMS
- RECOVERY ROOMS

HOSPITALS
- HOSPITALS, ACUTE CARE
- HOSPITALS, COMMUNITY
- HOSPITALS, GENERAL
- HOSPITALS, GOVERNMENT
- HOSPITALS, MILITARY
- HOSPITALS, NON PROFIT
- HOSPITALS, PROPRIETARY
- HOSPITALS, PSYCHIATRIC
- HOSPITALS, SPECIAL
- HOSPITALS, TEACHING
- HOSPITALS, URBAN
- HOSPITALS, VETERANS

LICENSURE, INSTITUTIONAL

MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES
- COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES
- COUNSELING

OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH SERVICES

PLANNING
- COMMUNITY NEED ASSESSMENT

PLANNING (Cont.)
  HEALTH AND WELFARE PLANNING
  HEALTH SYSTEMS AGENCIES
  HOSPITAL DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION
  HOSPITAL PLANNING COMMITTEES
  PLANNING AGENCIES
PREVENTIVE HEALTH SERVICES
  DIAGNOSTIC SERVICES
  HEALTH EDUCATION
  IMMUNIZATION
  MASS SCREENING
  MOBILE HEALTH UNITS
  MULTIPHASIC SCREENING
  PHYSICAL EXAMINATION
PROFESSIONAL STAFF COMMITTEES
  INFECTIONS COMMITTEE
  PEER REVIEW COMMITTEES
  PHARMACY AND THERAPEUTICS COMMITTEE
PUBLIC HEALTH
  HEALTH DEPARTMENTS
RECIPIENTS OF HEALTH CARE
  CONSUMERS
    CONSUMER EDUCATION
    CONSUMER ORGANIZATIONS
    CONSUMER SATISFACTION
PATIENTS
  ATTITUDE TO HEALTH
  PATIENT DROPOUTS
STUDENT HEALTH SERVICES
UTILIZATION
  UTILIZATION, DRUG
  UTILIZATION, HEALTH FACILITY
  UTILIZATION, LABORATORY
  UTILIZATION, MANPOWER
  UTILIZATION, SPATIAL

MANPOWER

ACCREDITATION, CERTIFICATION, LICENSURE*
- ACCREDITATION
- CERTIFICATION
  - RECERTIFICATION
- EXAMS
- LICENSURE
  - LICENSING BOARDS
  - LICENSURE, LAWS
  - RELICENSURE

EDUCATION
- CURRICULUM
- EDUCATION, ALLIED HEALTH
- EDUCATION, CONTINUING
- EDUCATION, DENTAL
- EDUCATION, MEDICAL
- EDUCATION, MEDICAL, CONTINUING
- EDUCATION, MEDICAL, GRADUATE
- EDUCATION, NURSING
- EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES
- EXAMS
- FACULTY
  - FACULTY, DENTAL
  - FACULTY, MEDICAL
- HEALTH EDUCATION
- INSERVICE TRAINING
- INTERNSHIP AND RESIDENCY
- SCHOOLS
  - SCHOOLS, DENTAL
  - SCHOOLS, MEDICAL
- STUDENTS
  - STUDENTS, DENTAL
  - STUDENTS, MEDICAL
- TRAINING PROGRAMS

NAMED GROUPS OF PERSONS*
- ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL
- ALLIED HEALTH PERSONNEL
  - CHILD HEALTH ASSOCIATES
  - COMMUNITY HEALTH AIDES
  - DENTAL ASSISTANTS
  - DENTAL HYGIENISTS
  - DENTAL THERAPISTS
  - MEDICAL RECORDS LIBRARIANS
  - NURSES AIDES
  - PHARMACISTS' AIDES
  - PHYSICIANS' ASSISTANTS
  - PSYCHIATRIC AIDES
- CONSULTANTS

*Not a searchable term

NAMED GROUPS OF PERSONS (Cont.)
- DENTISTS
- FACULTY
  - FACULTY, DENTAL
  - FACULTY, MEDICAL
- FOREIGN PROFESSIONAL PERSONNEL
  - FMG
- HOSPITAL PERSONNEL
  - HOSPITAL DENTAL STAFF
  - HOSPITAL MEDICAL STAFF
  - HOSPITAL NURSING STAFF
  - HOSPITAL PHARMACISTS
- NURSES
  - NURSE COORDINATORS
  - NURSE PRACTITIONERS
  - NURSING, SUPERVISORY
- PATIENT CARE TEAM
- PHYSICIAN-PATIENTS
- PHYSICIANS
- PSRO, PERSONNEL
- STUDENTS
  - STUDENTS, DENTAL
  - STUDENTS, MEDICAL
- TRUSTEES

PHYSICIAN CHARACTERISTICS
- ATTITUDE OF HEALTH PERSONNEL
- INTERPROFESSIONAL RELATIONS
- PHYSICIAN INCOME
- PHYSICIAN PERFORMANCE
  - CLINICAL COMPETENCE
  - SELF EVALUATION
- PROFESSIONAL-PATIENT RELATIONS
  - DENTIST-PATIENT RELATIONS
  - ETHICS
  - ETHICS, MEDICAL
  - NURSE-PATIENT RELATIONS
  - PHYSICIAN-PATIENT RELATIONS
- PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE
  - FAMILY PRACTICE
  - GROUP PRACTICE
  - GROUP PRACTICE, PRE-PAID
  - INSTITUTIONAL PRACTICE
  - PRIVATE PRACTICE
    - PHYSICIANS' OFFICES
  - PUBLIC SERVICE
  - REFERRAL AND CONSULTATION
    - SECOND OPINION
  - SPECIALTIES, DENTAL
  - SPECIALTIES, MEDICAL
  - SPECIALTIES, NURSING

PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE PATTERNS
    HEALTH RESOURCE FACTORS
    PHYSICIAN AVAILABILITY
    PHYSICIAN DISTRIBUTION
    PROFESSIONAL-USER TIME
    SPECIALTY DISTRIBUTION
TASK PERFORMANCE AND ANALYSIS
UTILIZATION, MANPOWER

FINANCE, ECONOMICS

BENEFITS
BUDGET
COMPENSATION
COMPETITION
COSTS AND COST ANALYSIS
  COST CONTROL
    SHARED SERVICES
  COST EFFECTIVENESS
  COST PREDICTION
  DRUG COSTS
  HOSPITAL COSTS
  PSRO, COSTS
  QUALITY REVIEW COSTS
DEDUCTIBLES AND COINSURANCE
ECONOMICS, MEDICAL
  DEMAND FOR SERVICES
  INCENTIVES
  PLANNING COSTS
  PRICING POLICY
  PRODUCTIVITY
FEES AND CHARGES
  FEE SCHEDULES
FINANCING MECHANISMS
  FEE-FOR-SERVICE
  FINANCING, GOVERNMENT
    PUBLIC ASSISTANCE
  FINANCING, ORGANIZED
  OUT-OF-POCKET EXPENSES
  PREPAYMENT
  REIMBURSEMENT
    THIRD PARTY PAYMENT
  RESEARCH SUPPORT
  TAXES
FOUNDATIONS
GOVERNMENT PROGRAMS
  PROGRAM EVALUATION
GROUP PLANS
HEALTH CARE PROVIDER
HEALTH EXPENDITURES
INSTITUTIONAL ECONOMICS
  INVESTMENT
  OPERATING COSTS
  WAGES AND SALARIES
INSURANCE CLAIMS
INSURANCE, HEALTH
  INSURANCE, HEALTH, CATASTROPHIC
  MEDICAID
  MEDICARE
  NHI
    NHI, COSTS
INSURANCE, LIABILITY
  INSURANCE, NO-FAULT
INSURANCE PREMIUMS
PHYSICIAN INCOME

LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS

ACCREDITATION, CERTIFICATION, LICENSURE*
  ACCREDITATION
  CERTIFICATION
    RECERTIFICATION
  EXAMS
  LICENSURE
    LICENSING BOARDS
    LICENSURE, INSTITUTIONAL
    LICENSURE, LAWS
    RELICENSURE
    SANCTIONS
ANTISUBSTITUTION LAWS
ANTITRUST
  FTC
COURT CASES
FEDERAL REGULATION
GOVERNMENT CONTROL
HUMAN EXPERIMENTATION
INCORPORATION STATUTES
JURISPRUDENCE
  APPEALS
  CONFIDENTIALITY
  DISCLOSURE
  EXPERT TESTIMONY
  FRAUD
  INFORMED CONSENT
  LIABILITY
  LIABILITY, CORPORATE
  MALPRACTICE
  NEGLIGENCE
  PATIENT INJURY
  PROXIMATE CAUSE
LAWS, NAMES*
  CLIA
  MAC
  PL 92-603
  PL 93-222
  PL 93-641
  PL 95-142
    CON
  NHI
    NHI, ATTITUDES
    NHI, IMPLEMENTATION
    NHI, PROPOSALS
  PRIVACY ACT
LIABILITY EXEMPTION
NATIONAL HEALTH POLICY
PSRO, LEGISLATION
RIGHTS
RISK MANAGEMENT
SAFETY STANDARDS
STANDARDS OF CARE
STATE REGULATION

*Not a searchable term

DATA PROCESSING

ADVERTISING
AUDIO VISUAL AIDS
  MOTION PICTURES
  RADIO
  TELEVISION
CLASSIFICATION
COMMUNICATION
CYBERNETICS
DATA ANALYSIS
DATA BASE
  PHDDS
  UHDDS
DATA GATHERING
DATA PROCESSING
  COMPUTERS
    COMPUTER HARDWARE EVALUATION
    COMPUTER SOFTWARE EVALUATION
    COMPUTER PROGRAMMING
FLOW CHART
FORMS
HEALTH DATA SYSTEMS
HEALTH INFORMATION
  HEALTH SURVEYS
INFORMATION NEEDS
INFORMATION SYSTEMS
MODELS, MATHEMATICAL
MODELS, PSYCHOLOGICAL
MODELS, THEORETICAL
NOMENCLATURE
  ABBREVIATIONS
  EPONYMS
OPERATIONS RESEARCH
PERIODICALS
RECORDS
  DENTAL RECORDS
  MEDICAL RECORDS
    POMR
  NURSING RECORDS
  PATIENT PROFILES
  REGISTRIES
RESEARCH
  CLINICAL RESEARCH
  HEALTH SERVICES RESEARCH
STATISTICAL ANALYSIS
  PROFILE ANALYSIS
SYSTEMS ANALYSIS

STATISTICS, DEMOGRAPHY

AGE FACTORS
  ADULT
  AGED
  CHILD
  INFANT
  YOUNG ADULT
BEHAVIORAL FACTORS
CULTURE
ENVIRONMENTAL FACTORS
EPIDEMIOLOGY
ETHNIC GROUPS
GEOGRAPHIC FACTORS
HEALTH RESOURCE FACTORS
MINORITY GROUPS
POPULATION CHARACTERISTICS
  HANDICAPPED
  HEALTH STATUS
PSYCHOLOGICAL FACTORS
RACIAL STOCKS
RESIDENCE CHARACTERISTICS
  GEOGRAPHIC DISTRIBUTION
  RURAL POPULATION
  URBAN POPULATION
SEX FACTORS
SOCIOECONOMIC FACTORS
  FAMILY CHARACTERISTICS
  INCOME
  POVERTY
VITAL STATISTICS
  LIFE EXPECTANCY
  MORBIDITY
  MORTALITY

SOCIAL PHENOMENA*

BUREAUCRACY
CONSUMER PARTICIPATION
DEVELOPING COUNTRIES
DRUG INDUSTRY
GOVERNMENT
  FEDERAL GOVERNMENT
  LOCAL GOVERNMENT
  STATE GOVERNMENT
HEALTH CARE INDUSTRY
HEALTH STATUS
LABOR UNIONS
POLICY
POLITICS
PUBLIC INTEREST
STATE MEDICINE
TECHNOLOGY
WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

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TAGS*

DOCUMENT FORM/TYPE*
- ADDRESS
- AUDIO-VISUAL
- ARCHIVE
- BIBLIOGRAPHY
- BOOK
- BOOK REVIEW
- BYLAWS
- CURRENT AWARENESS
- DRAFT
- EDITORIAL
- HEARINGS
  - CONGRESSIONAL HEARINGS
- INTERVIEW
- JOURNAL REFERENCE ISSUE
- LETTER
- PAMPHLET
- PANEL DISCUSSION
- POSITION PAPER
- PROCEEDINGS
- PSRO, ARCHIVES
- SERIAL SUBSCRIPTION
- SPECIAL REPORT
- STATE-OF-THE-ART REVIEW

NON-CONCEPTUAL CONTENTS*
- CARE CRITERIA
- CASE STUDIES
- DEFINITIONS
- DEMONSTRATION PROJECTS
- DIAGNOSES
- EVALUATION METHODOLOGY
- FLOW CHARTS
- FORMS
- GUIDELINES
- HEALTH SURVEYS
  - FOLLOW-UP STUDIES
  - SAMPLING STUDIES
- INTERNATIONAL
- METHODS
- MODELS, MATHEMATICAL
- MODELS, PSYCHOLOGICAL
- MODELS, THEORETICAL
- MULTISTATE
- OPERATIONAL DESCRIPTIONS
- PROGRAM RESULTS
- PROTOCOLS
- REFERENCES
- STANDARDS
- STATE
- STATISTICAL TABLES
- THEORIES, CONCEPTS

*Not a searchable term

Main Listing

Abandonment use MALPRACTICE

ABBREVIATIONS BT NOMENCLATURE	L.78.43.1 DATA PROCESSING

Academic Medical Center use HOSPITALS, TEACHING

Access to Care use ACCESS TO SERVICE

ACCESS TO SERVICE x Access to Care Patient Mobility BT DELIVERY OF HEALTH CARE	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES

Accident Prevention use PREVENTIVE HEALTH SERVICES

ACCOUNTABILITY	HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT
ACCREDITATION x Accreditation Requirements BT ACCREDITATION, CERTIFICATION, LICENSURE	N3.65.8 MANPOWER; LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS
ACCREDITATION, CERTIFICATION, LICENSURE	MANPOWER; LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS Note: Not a searchable term

Accreditation Requirements use ACCREDITATION

Acute Care Hospitals use HOSPITALS, ACUTE CARE

ADDRESS BT DOCUMENT FORM/TYPE	TAGS

Adequacy of Care use LEVEL OF CARE

Administration use ORGANIZATION AND ADMINISTRATION

Administrative Nursing use NURSING, SUPERVISORY

ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL BT NAMED GROUPS OF PERSONS	M.1; N2.36.3 MANPOWER

Admissions use HOSPITAL ADMISSIONS

Admission Certification use PRE-ADMISSION CERTIFICATION

ADULT x Adults BT AGE FACTORS	G1.4.13; M.3 STATISTICS, DEMOGRAPHY

Adults use ADULT

Advanced Life Support System use INTENSIVE CARE UNITS

Adverse Drug Reactions use DRUGS, ADVERSE REACTIONS

ADVERTISING	L.6 DATA PROCESSING
Age use AGE FACTORS	
AGE FACTORS x Age	N1.36.8 STATISTICS, DEMOGRAPHY
AGED x Aging BT AGE FACTORS	G1.4.26; M.4 STATISTICS, DEMOGRAPHY
Agency Review use INSTITUTIONAL REVIEW	
Aging use AGED	
ALLIED HEALTH PERSONNEL x Lay Personnel Paraprofessionals BT NAMED GROUPS OF PERSONS NT CHILD HEALTH ASSOCIATES COMMUNITY HEALTH AIDES DENTAL ASSISTANTS DENTAL HYGIENISTS DENTAL THERAPISTS MEDICAL RECORDS LIBRARIANS NURSES' AIDES PHARMACISTS' AIDES PHYSICIANS' ASSISTANTS PSYCHIATRIC AIDES	M.5; N2.36.4 MANPOWER
AMBULANCES BT EMERGENCY HEALTH SERVICES	N2.39.20.1 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
AMBULATORY CARE x Outpatient Care BT DELIVERY OF HEALTH CARE RT HOSPITAL OUTPATIENT CLINICS	N2.39.35.1 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
AMBULATORY CARE FACILITIES x Outpatient Clinics NT HMO HOSPITAL OUTPATIENT CLINICS	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES

ANCILLARY SERVICES		
NT	BLOOD BANKS	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES
	LABORATORIES	AND SERVICES

Anti-PSRO Materials use PSRO, OPPOSITION

Antibiotics, Side Effects use DRUGS, ADVERSE REACTIONS

ANTISUBSTITUTION LAWS		LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS
ANTITRUST		LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS
NT	FTC	
APPEALS		LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS
BT	JURISPRUDENCE	
APPOINTMENTS AND SCHEDULES		N4.22.8
x	Scheduling	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES
BT	ORGANIZATION AND ADMINISTRATION	AND SERVICES

Approaches to Evaluation use EVALUATION METHODOLOGIES

APPROPRIATENESS OF CARE		HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT
ARCHIVE		TAGS
BT	DOCUMENT FORM/TYPE	

Area Designation use PSRO, AREAS

Areawide Planning use REGIONAL SYSTEMS and HEALTH AND WELFARE PLANNING

Assault and Battery use MALPRACTICE

ASSIGNMENT PATTERNS		HEALTH CARE FACILITIES
x	Clinical Rotations	AND SERVICES
BT	STAFFING	
ATTITUDE OF HEALTH PERSONNEL		F1.7.5.1; F1.99.4.1;
x	Physician Attitudes	N4.44.13
	Physician Opinion	MANPOWER
	Professional Attitudes	
	Staff Attitudes	
BT	PHYSICIAN CHARACTERISTICS	
ATTITUDE TO HEALTH		F1.7.5.1; F1.99.4.1;
x	Patient Acceptance	N1.12
	Patient Attitude	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES
BT	PATIENTS	AND SERVICES
RT	PATIENT DROPOUTS	

Attitudes to PSRO use PSRO, ATTITUDES

AUDIO-VISUAL BT DOCUMENT FORM/TYPE	TAGS Note: Refers to type of document
AUDIO-VISUAL AIDS NT MOTION PICTURES RADIO TELEVISION	I.22.60.1; L.12 DATA PROCESSING
AUDIT NT DENTAL AUDIT **MEDICAL AUDIT** MULTIDISCIPLINARY AUDIT NURSING AUDIT	HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT
Automated Data Processing <u>use</u> DATA PROCESSING	
Automated Laboratory <u>use</u> LABORATORIES and COMPUTERS	
AUTOPSY x Minimum Autopsy Rates Necropsy BT EVALUATION METHODOLOGIES	E5.7; I.11.39.1 HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT
Basic Life Support <u>use</u> INTENSIVE CARE UNITS	
BED RATES x Hospital Bed Capacity Hospital Beds Utilization Hospital Capacity BT HEALTH FACILITY SIZE	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
BEHAVIORAL FACTORS	STATISTICS, DEMOGRAPHY
Behavioral Models <u>use</u> MODELS, PSYCHOLOGICAL	
BENEFITS x Employee Benefits Government Benefits Health Benefits Social Benefits	FINANCE, ECONOMICS Note: May refer to benefits from health insurance plans, or benefits to society from health, etc.
BI-CYCLE CONCEPT BT EVALUATION METHODOLOGIES RT EDUCATION, CONTINUING	HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT Note: Refers to inter-relationship between patient care evaluation and physician education: use only when identified in document by name

BIBLIOGRAPHY BT DOCUMENT FORM/TYPE	L.72.10 TAGS Note: Refers to type of document
Billing Systems use FEES AND CHARGES	
Biomedical Research use RESEARCH	
BLOOD BANKS BT ANCILLARY SERVICES	N2.18.6 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
BOOK BT DOCUMENT FORM/TYPE	TAGS Note: Refers to type of document
BOOK REVIEW BT DOCUMENT FORM/TYPE	TAGS Note: Refers to type of document
Booklet use PAMPHLET	
BUDGET x Capital Budget Fiscal Budget Hospital Budget Planning Budget	FINANCE, ECONOMICS
BUREAUCRACY	SOCIAL PHENOMENA Note: A health care system structured by rules, hierarchy and routine opposed to professional skill and personal judgment
Business Management use MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS or PRACTICE MANAGEMENT, MEDICAL	
BYLAWS BT NON-CONCEPTUAL CONTENTS	TAGS
Capacity use HEALTH FACILITY SIZE	
Capital Budget use BUDGET	
Capitation use PREPAYMENT	
Cardiac Care Centers use CORONARY CARE UNITS	

CARE CRITERIA
x Criteria
Optimal Criteria
BT NON-CONCEPTUAL CONTENTS

TAGS
Note: For use with the category term STANDARDS, NORMS, CRITERIA when actual criteria for specific diseases are given

CASE STUDIES
BT NON-CONCEPTUAL CONTENTS

TAGS

Catastrophic Health Insurance use INSURANCE, HEALTH, CATASTROPHIC

CERTIFICATION
x Credentials
Specialty Certification
BT ACCREDITATION, CERTIFICATION, LICENSURE
NT RECERTIFICATION
RT SPECIALTY BOARDS

N3.65.16
MANPOWER; LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS

Certification Exams use EXAMS

Certification of Need use HOSPITAL DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION

Civil Immunity use LIABILITY EXEMPTION

Check List use RATING SCALE

CHILD
x Children
BT AGE FACTORS

G1.4.39; M.10
STATISTICS, DEMOGRAPHY

CHILD HEALTH ASSOCIATES
BT ALLIED HEALTH PERSONNEL

MANPOWER

CHILD HEALTH SERVICES
x Infant Health Services
BT COMMUNITY HEALTH SERVICES

N2.39.5.1
HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES

Children use CHILD

Citizen Participation use CONSUMER PARTICIPATION

City Government use LOCAL GOVERNMENT

Claims use INSURANCE CLAIMS

Claims Processing use INSURANCE CLAIMS

Claims Rejection use INSURANCE CLAIMS

Claims Review use INSURANCE CLAIMS

CLASSIFICATION — L.54.21
- x Patient Classification
- Taxonomy

DATA PROCESSING

CLIA (Clinical Laboratories Improvement Act) — LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS
- BT LAWS, NAMES

CLINICAL COMPETENCE — MANPOWER
- x Clinical Judgement
- Clinical Skills
- BT PHYSICIAN PERFORMANCE

Clinical Judgment use CLINICAL COMPETENCE

Clinical Performance use TASK PERFORMANCE AND ANALYSIS

Clinical Practice use INSTITUTIONAL PRACTICE

CLINICAL RESEARCH
- BT RESEARCH — DATA PROCESSING

Clinical Rotations use ASSIGNMENT PATTERNS

Clinical Skills use CLINICAL COMPETENCE

Clinical Trial Controls use CLINICAL TRIALS

CLINICAL TRIAL STUDIES — CLINICAL TRIAL STUDIES
Note: Use only as a category term

CLINICAL TRIALS — HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
- x Clinical Trial Controls
- BT DRUGS
- RT HUMAN EXPERIMENTATION

Coinsurance and Deductibles use DEDUCTIBLES AND COINSURANCE

Color (Refers to Race) use RACIAL STOCKS

Commercial Carriers use INSURANCE CARRIERS

COMMUNICATION — F1.7.16; L.
DATA PROCESSING

Community Based Medical Schools use SCHOOLS, MEDICAL and/or COMMUNITY HEALTH SERVICES

COMMUNITY HEALTH AIDES — M.5.13; N2.36.4.1
MANPOWER
- x Family Health Workers
- Social Workers
- BT ALLIED HEALTH PERSONNEL

Community Health Centers use NEIGHBORHOOD HEALTH CENTERS

Community Health Education use HEALTH EDUCATION

Community Health Planning use COMMUNITY NEED ASSESSMENT and HEALTH AND WELFARE PLANNING

COMMUNITY HEALTH SERVICES		N2.39.5
x	Community Based Medical Schools	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES
	Community Medicine	AND SERVICES
	Local Medical Care	
NT	CHILD HEALTH SERVICES	
	COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES	
	COUNSELING	
	HOME CARE SERVICES	
	MATERNAL HEALTH SERVICES	
	NEIGHBORHOOD HEALTH CENTERS	
	OUTREACH	
	RURAL HEALTH SERVICES	
	URBAN HEALTH SERVICES	

Community Health Surveys use HEALTH SURVEYS and COMMUNITY NEED ASSESSMENT

Community Hospitals use HOSPITALS, COMMUNITY

Community Medicine use COMMUNITY HEALTH SERVICES

Community Mental Health Centers use COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES

COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES		F3.26.26; N2.39.5.1;
x	Community Mental Health Centers	N2.39.25.1
BT	COMMUNITY HEALTH SERVICES	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES

COMMUNITY NEED ASSESSMENT		HEALTH CARE FACILITIES
x	Community Health Planning	AND SERVICES
	Community Health Surveys	
	Community Oriented Programs	
BT	PLANNING	

Community Oriented Programs use COMMUNITY NEED ASSESSMENT

Community Placement use PATIENT CARE PLANNING

COMPENSATION		FINANCE, ECONOMICS
RT	JURISPRUDENCE	Note: Use for compensation of health personnel or patients as a result of a legal judgment

COMPETITION	FINANCE, ECONOMICS
Compilation use DATA GATHERING	
COMPREHENSIVE DENTAL CARE BT DELIVERY OF HEALTH CARE	N4.44.26.1 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
Comprehensive Foundations use FOUNDATIONS	
COMPREHENSIVE HEALTH CARE x Comprehensive Health Care System Continuity of Care Progressive Patient Care BT DELIVERY OF HEALTH CARE	N4.44.26 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
Comprehensive Health Care System use HEALTH CARE DELIVERY SYSTEMS and COMPREHENSIVE HEALTH CARE	
Computer Based Models use MODELS, THEORETICAL	
COMPUTER HARDWARE EVALUATION x Hardware Evaluation BT COMPUTERS	DATA PROCESSING
COMPUTER PROGRAMMING x Programming, Computer BT COMPUTERS	DATA PROCESSING
Computer Screening use MASS SCREENING and COMPUTERS	
COMPUTER SOFTWARE EVALUATION x Software Evaluation BT COMPUTERS	DATA PROCESSING
COMPUTERS x Automated Laboratory Computer Screening Laboratory Computer Systems BT DATA PROCESSING NT COMPUTER HARDWARE EVALUATION COMPUTER SOFTWARE EVALUATION COMPUTER PROGRAMMING	L.18.13 DATA PROCESSING
CON BT PL 93-641	LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS Note: Refers to Certificate-of-Need requirements under PL 93-641
Conceptual Models use MODELS, THEORETICAL	

CONCURRENT REVIEW BT PEER REVIEW		HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT
Conference Proceedings use PROCEEDINGS		
Confidence use RELIABILITY		
CONFIDENTIALITY x Privacy BT JURISPRUDENCE RT MEDICAL ETHICS PROFESSIONAL-PATIENT RELATIONS		LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS
CONGRESSIONAL HEARINGS BT HEARINGS		TAGS Note: Refers to type of document
Construction Standards use HOSPITAL DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION and STANDARDS		
CONSULTANTS BT NAMED GROUPS OF PERSONS		MANPOWER
Consumer Acceptance use CONSUMER SATISFACTION		
CONSUMER EDUCATION BT CONSUMERS RT HEALTH EDUCATION		HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
Consumer Evaluation use CONSUMER SATISFACTION		
Consumer Groups use CONSUMER ORGANIZATIONS		
Consumer Opinion (in planning) use CONSUMER PARTICIPATION		
CONSUMER ORGANIZATIONS x Consumer Groups BT CONSUMERS		N3.52.9 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
CONSUMER PARTICIPATION x Citizen Participation Consumer Opinion Consumer-Provider Relationship BT PSRO		N1.12.3; N2.39.5.1 N3.52.9.1 SOCIAL PHENOMENA HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT
Consumer-Provider Relationship use CONSUMER PARTICIPATION		
CONSUMER SATISFACTION x Consumer Acceptance Consumer Evaluation Patient Satisfaction Surveys BT CONSUMERS		N1.12.6 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES

CONSUMERS — HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
- BT RECIPIENTS OF HEALTH CARE
- NT CONSUMER EDUCATION
  - CONSUMER ORGANIZATIONS
  - CONSUMER SATISFACTION

CONTENT APPROACH — HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT
- BT EVALUATION METHODOLOGIES

Continuing Education use EDUCATION, CONTINUING

Continuing Medical Education use EDUCATION, MEDICAL, CONTINUING

Continuity of Care use COMPREHENSIVE HEALTH CARE

Contract Law use JURISPRUDENCE

Cooperative Care use HOSPITAL SHARED SERVICES

Cooperative Health Care Delivery Systems use HEALTH CARE DELIVERY SYSTEMS

CORONARY CARE UNITS — N2.18.23.1, HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
- x Cardiac Care Centers
- BT HOSPITAL UNITS

Cost Benefit use COST EFFECTIVENESS

COST CONTROL — FINANCE, ECONOMICS
- x Federal Economic Controls
  - Wage and Price Controls
- BT COSTS AND COST ANALYSIS
- NT SHARED SERVICES

COST EFFECTIVENESS — FINANCE, ECONOMICS
- x Cost Benefit
- BT COSTS AND COST ANALYSIS

COST PREDICTION — FINANCE, ECONOMICS
- BT COSTS AND COST ANALYSIS

Costs use COSTS AND COST ANALYSIS

COSTS AND COST ANALYSIS — N3.13.5, FINANCE, ECONOMICS
- x Costs
  - Health Care Costs
- NT COST CONTROL
  - COST EFFECTIVENESS
  - COST PREDICTION
  - DRUG COSTS
  - HOSPITAL COSTS
  - PSRO, COSTS
  - QUALITY REVIEW COSTS

COUNSELING x Family Education Guidance Program BT COMMUNITY HEALTH SERVICES NT FAMILY PLANNING	F1.28; F3.26.30; N2.39.5.1; N2.39.25.1 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
COURT CASES x Foreign Object Cases	LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS
Credentials use CERTIFICATION	
CRITERIA	HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT
Cultural Factors use CULTURE	
CULTURE x Cultural Factors Sociocultural Approach	I.7.21; I.91.21; N1.24 STATISTICS, DEMOGRAPHY
CURRENT AWARENESS BT DOCUMENT FORM/TYPE	TAGS
CURRICULUM BT EDUCATION	I.22.4 MANPOWER
CYBERNETICS	L.48 DATA PROCESSING
Data Acquisition use DATA GATHERING	
DATA ANALYSIS	DATA PROCESSING
Data Bank use DATA BASE	
DATA BASE x Data Bank Data Base Control NT PHDDS UHDDS	DATA PROCESSING
Data Base Control use DATA BASE	
Data Collection use DATA GATHERING	
DATA GATHERING x Compilation Data Acquisition Data Collection Data Input	DATA PROCESSING
Data Input use DATA GATHERING	
Data Management Systems use INFORMATION SYSTEMS	

DATA PROCESSING x Automated Data Processing NT COMPUTERS	DATA PROCESSING
DAY SURGERY FACILITY BT AMBULATORY CARE FACILITIES	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
Death Rate use MORTALITY	
DECISION PROCESS BT HEALTH SERVICES ADMINISTRATION	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
DEDUCTIBLES AND COINSURANCE x Coinsurance and Deductibles Insurance, Deductibles and Coinsurance	N3.26.22.1, N4.22.12 FINANCE, ECONOMICS
DEFINITIONS x Glossary BT NON-CONCEPTUAL CONTENTS	TAGS
DELEGATED REVIEW BT PEER REVIEW	HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT
DELIVERY OF HEALTH CARE x Delivery of Health Services Health Care Delivery Health Service Delivery Medical Care NT ACCESS TO SERVICE AMBULATORY CARE COMPREHENSIVE DENTAL CARE COMPREHENSIVE HEALTH CARE DEMAND FOR SERVICES DENTAL CARE DENTAL VISITS DIAGNOSIS HOSPITALIZATION LEVEL OF CARE LONG TERM CARE NURSING CARE PATIENT CARE MANAGEMENT PHYSICIAN VISITS PRIMARY HEALTH CARE REHABILITATION STANDARDS OF CARE TREATMENT	N4.44.29 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
Delivery of Health Services use DELIVERY OF HEALTH CARE	
DELPHI APPROACH BT EVALUATION METHODOLOGIES	HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT

DEMAND FOR SERVICES x Sensitivity BT DELIVERY OF HEALTH CARE BT ECONOMICS, MEDICAL	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES FINANCE, ECONOMICS
Demographic Characteristics use POPULATION CHARACTERISTICS	
DEMONSTRATION PROJECTS BT NON-CONCEPTUAL CONTENTS	TAGS
DENTAL ASSISTANTS BT ALLIED HEALTH PERSONNEL	M.5.15; N2.36.4.1 MANPOWER
DENTAL AUDIT BT AUDIT	HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT
DENTAL CARE BT DELIVERY OF HEALTH CARE	E.6.16; N2.39.10 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
Dental Education use EDUCATION, DENTAL	
DENTAL HYGIENISTS BT ALLIED HEALTH PERSONNEL	M.5.17; N2.36.4.1 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
DENTAL RECORDS BT RECORDS	N4.22.60.1 DATA PROCESSING
Dental Schools use SCHOOLS, DENTAL	
Dental Specialties use SPECIALTIES, DENTAL	
Dental Students use STUDENTS, DENTAL	
DENTAL THERAPISTS BT ALLIED HEALTH PERSONNEL	MANPOWER
DENTAL VISITS x Private Dental Visits BT DELIVERY OF HEALTH CARE	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
DENTIST-PATIENT RELATIONS BT PROFESSIONAL-PATIENT RELATIONS	F1.99.18.1; N4.44.52.1 MANPOWER
DENTISTS BT NAMED GROUPS OF PERSONS	M.25; N2.36.18 MANPOWER
DEVELOPING COUNTRIES	I.53.7 SOCIAL PHENOMENA

DIAGNOSES
BT NON-CONCEPTUAL CONTENTS

TAGS

DIAGNOSIS
x Diagnosis, Laboratory
BT DELIVERY OF HEALTH CARE

E1.
HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
Note: Use when diagnosis is discussed in general, not for the specific diagnosis of a specific disease

Diagnosis, Laboratory use DIAGNOSIS and LABORATORIES

DIAGNOSTIC SERVICES
BT PREVENTIVE HEALTH SERVICES

N2.39.45.1
HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES

Disability Classification use DISABILITY EVALUATION

DISABILITY EVALUATION
x Disability Classification
BT EVALUATION METHODOLOGIES

E1.30.
HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT

Disabled use HANDICAPPED

Discharge use HOSPITAL DISCHARGE

Discharge Criteria use HOSPITAL DISCHARGE

Discharge Data use HOSPITAL DISCHARGE

Discharge, Eligibility Determination use HOSPITAL DISCHARGE

Discharge Planning use HOSPITAL DISCHARGE

DISCLOSURE
BT JURISPRUDENCE

LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS
Note: Term used to describe the revealing of all medical facts and education of patient in order to facilitate informed consent

Disease Frequency use MORBIDITY

Doctor-Patient Relations use PHYSICIAN-PATIENT RELATIONS

DOCUMENT FORM/TYPE
NT ADDRESS
ARCHIVE
AUDIO-VISUAL

TAGS
Note: Not a searchable term

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LETTER
PAMPHLET
PANEL DISCUSSION
POSITION PAPER
PROCEEDINGS
PSRO, ARCHIVES
SERIAL SUBSCRIPTION
SPECIAL REPORT
STATE-OF-THE-ART REVIEW

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DRAFT			
	BT	DOCUMENT FORM/TYPE	Note: Refers to type of document
DRUG ABUSE			F1.36; F2.45; I.91.47.1
	BT	DRUGS	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
DRUG AND NARCOTIC CONTROL			I.91.40.1; N4.22.48.1
	x	Drug Control System	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES
		Drug Monitoring System	AND SERVICES
		Drug Reforms	
		Legislation, Pharmacy	
	BT	DRUGS	
DRUG CONTAINERS AND CLOSURES			E5.81.42.1; J.31.21
	x	Drug Packaging	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES
	BT	DRUGS	AND SERVICES

Drug Control System <u>use</u> DRUG AND NARCOTIC CONTROL

DRUG COSTS			HEALTH CARE FACILITIES
	BT	COSTS AND COST ANALYSIS	AND SERVICES; FINANCE,
		DRUGS	ECONOMICS

Drug Efficacy <u>use</u> DRUG EVALUATION

DRUG EVALUATION			E5.38.10; G1.86.11
	x	Drug Efficacy	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES
		Drug Quality	AND SERVICES
		Drug Safety	
		Drug Therapy Evaluation	
		Treatment Effectiveness	
	BT	DRUGS	
DRUG INDUSTRY			J.31; J.70.24
			SOCIAL PHENOMENA

DRUG LABELING E5.81.42.1; J.31.42

x Labeling
BT DRUGS

HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES

Drug Monitoring System use DRUG AND NARCOTIC CONTROL

Drug Packaging use DRUG CONTAINERS AND CLOSURES

Drug Quality use DRUG EVALUATION and QUALITY CONTROL

Drug Reforms use DRUG AND NARCOTIC CONTROL

DRUG RESISTANCE
BT DRUGS

G1.86.16
HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES

Drug Review Committees use UTILIZATION, DRUG and PROFESSIONAL STAFF COMMITTEES

Drug Safety use DRUG EVALUATION and QUALITY CONTROL

DRUG THERAPY
BT DRUGS

E2.26
HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES

Drug Therapy Evaluation use DRUG EVALUATION

Drug Use use UTILIZATION, DRUG

Drug Utilization use UTILIZATION, DRUG

Drug Utilization Review use UTILIZATION, DRUG and UTILIZATION REVIEW

DRUGS
NT CLINICAL TRIALS
DRUG ABUSE
DRUG AND NARCOTIC CONTROL
DRUG CONTAINERS AND CLOSURES
DRUG COSTS
DRUG EVALUATION
DRUG LABELING
DRUG RESISTANCE
DRUG THERAPY
DRUGS, ADVERSE REACTIONS
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MEDICATION SYSTEMS
PHARMACEUTICAL MANUFACTURERS
PHARMACIES
PHARMACY ADMINISTRATION
PRESCRIPTIONS
THERAPEUTIC EQUIVALENCY
UTILIZATION, DRUG

D13.46
HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES

DRUGS, ADVERSE REACTIONS
x Adverse Drug Reactions
Antibiotics, Side Effects
BT DRUGS

HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES

Economic Behavior use ECONOMICS, MEDICAL

Economic Status use SOCIOECONOMIC FACTORS

ECONOMICS, MEDICAL — N3.13.21
NT DEMAND FOR SERVICES — FINANCE, ECONOMICS
INCENTIVES
PLANNING COSTS
PRICING POLICY
PRODUCTIVITY

EDITORIAL
BT DOCUMENT FORM/TYPE — TAGS

EDUCATION — I.22
NT CURRICULUM — MANPOWER
EDUCATION, ALLIED HEALTH
EDUCATION, CONTINUING
EDUCATION, DENTAL
EDUCATION, MEDICAL
EDUCATION, MEDICAL, CONTINUING
EDUCATION, MEDICAL, GRADUATE
EDUCATION, NURSING
EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES
EXAMS
FACULTY
HEALTH EDUCATION
INSERVICE TRAINING
INTERNSHIP AND RESIDENCY
SCHOOLS
STUDENTS
TRAINING PROGRAMS

EDUCATION, ALLIED HEALTH — MANPOWER
BT EDUCATION

EDUCATION, CONTINUING — I.22.8
x Continuing Education — MANPOWER
Postgraduate Training
BT EDUCATION
RT BI-CYCLE CONCEPT

Education, Continuing Medical use EDUCATION, MEDICAL, CONTINUING

EDUCATION, DENTAL — I.22.12
x Dental Education — MANPOWER
BT EDUCATION

EDUCATION, MEDICAL — I.22.20
x Medical Education — MANPOWER
BT EDUCATION

EDUCATION, MEDICAL, CONTINUING — I.22.8.1; I.22.20.1
x Continuing Medical Education — MANPOWER
Education, Continuing Medical
BT EDUCATION

EDUCATION, MEDICAL, GRADUATE — I.22.16.1; I.22.20.1
x Graduate Education — MANPOWER
BT EDUCATION

Education, Medical - Objectives use EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES

EDUCATION, NURSING — I.22.24
x Nursing Education — MANPOWER
BT EDUCATION

EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES — MANPOWER
x Education, Medical - Objectives
BT EDUCATION

Eligibility Determination use PRE-ADMISSION CERTIFICATION

Efficiency Rate use UTILIZATION, HEALTH FACILITY

Emergency Care use EMERGENCY HEALTH SERVICES

Emergency Health Service Staff use HOSPITAL EMERGENCY STAFF

Emergency Health Service System use EMERGENCY HEALTH SERVICES

EMERGENCY HEALTH SERVICES — N2.39.20
x Emergency Care — HEALTH CARE FACILITIES
Emergency Health Service System — AND SERVICES
NT AMBULANCES
HOSPITAL EMERGENCY SERVICE
MOBILE HEALTH UNITS
TRANSPORT OF WOUNDED AND SICK

Emergency Room Utilization use HOSPITAL EMERGENCY SERVICE and UTILIZATION, HEALTH FACILITY

Emergency Rooms use HOSPITAL EMERGENCY SERVICE

Employee Benefits use BENEFITS

Employee Health Services use OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH SERVICES

Environment use ENVIRONMENTAL FACTORS

End Results use OUTCOME APPROACH

ENVIRONMENTAL FACTORS		STATISTICS, DEMOGRAPHY
x	Environment	
EPIDEMIOLOGY		G3.117
x	Population Medicine	STATISTICS, DEMOGRAPHY
EPONYMS		L.78.43.1
BT	NOMENCLATURE	DATA PROCESSING

Equivalency Testing use EXAMS

ETHICS		F1.99.7; K.41
BT	PROFESSIONAL-PATIENT RELATIONS	MANPOWER
RT	HUMAN EXPERIMENTATION	
	INFORMED CONSENT	
ETHICS, MEDICAL		K.41.50.1
x	Medical Ethics	MANPOWER
BT	PROFESSIONAL-PATIENT RELATIONS	
ETHNIC GROUPS		I.7.21.1; I.28; I.91.22; N1.36.16 STATISTICS, DEMOGRAPHY
EVALUATION METHODOLOGIES		
x	Approaches to Evaluation	
BT	NON-CONCEPTUAL CONTENTS	TAGS
NT	AUTOPSY	HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT
	BI-CYCLE CONCEPT	Note: Use unless narrower terms are identified in document
	CONTENT APPROACH	
	DELPHI APPROACH	
	DISABILITY EVALUATION	
	IMPACT APPROACH	
	MCE	
	MEASURES	
	OUTCOME APPROACH	
	PROBLEM ORIENTED APPROACH	
	PROCESS APPROACH	
	STRUCTURE APPROACH	
	TRACER METHODOLOGY	
EXAMS		MANPOWER; LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS
x	Certification Exams	
	Equivalency Testing	
	Licensure Exams	
	Proficiency Examinations	
	State Licensing Examinations	
	Tests	
BT	ACCREDITATION, CERTIFICATION, LICENSURE	
	EDUCATION	

Expenditures, Health use HEALTH EXPENDITURES

EXPERT TESTIMONY BT JURISPRUDENCE	N3.64.40.1 LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS
EXTENDED CARE FACILITIES NT HOSPICE INTERMEDIATE CARE FACILITY NURSING HOMES SNF	N2.18.9 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
FACULTY BT EDUCATION NT FACULTY, DENTAL FACULTY, MEDICAL	I.22.44; M.31; N2.36.21 MANPOWER
FACULTY, DENTAL BT FACULTY	I.22.44.1; M.31.13; N2.36.21.1 MANPOWER
FACULTY, MEDICAL BT FACULTY	I.22.44.1; M.31.26; N2.36.21.1 MANPOWER
FAMILY CHARACTERISTICS x Marital Status BT SOCIOECONOMIC FACTORS	N1.96.10 STATISTICS, DEMOGRAPHY
Family Education <u>use</u> COUNSELING and/or HEALTH EDUCATION	
Family Health Workers <u>use</u> COMMUNITY HEALTH AIDES	
FAMILY PLANNING BT COUNSELING	N2.39.5.1 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
FAMILY PRACTICE x General Practice General Practitioners BT PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE	MANPOWER
Federal Economic Controls <u>use</u> COST CONTROL and/or FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT x Federal Economic Controls Fiscal Budget BT GOVERNMENT	SOCIAL PHENOMENA
Federal Policy <u>use</u> NATIONAL HEALTH POLICY	
FEDERAL REGULATION x Government Regulations	LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS
Federal Support <u>use</u> FINANCING, GOVERNMENT	

FEE-FOR-SERVICE — FINANCE, ECONOMICS
- x Fee-for-Service Practice
- Fee-for-Service System
- BT FINANCING MECHANISMS

Fee-for-Service Practice use FEE-FOR-SERVICE

Fee-for-Service System use FEE-FOR-SERVICE

FEE SCHEDULES — N4.22.20
- BT FEES AND CHARGES — FINANCE, ECONOMICS

Fees use FEES AND CHARGES

FEES AND CHARGES — N3.13.32
- x Billing System — FINANCE, ECONOMICS
- Fees
- Fees, Dental
- Fees, Medical
- Charges
- Hospital Rates
- Payment
- NT FEE SCHEDULES

Fees, Dental use FEES AND CHARGES

Fees, Medical use FEES AND CHARGES

Films use MOTION PICTURES

Finance use FINANCING, ORGANIZED

FINANCING, GOVERNMENT — N3,26.11
- x Federal Support — FINANCE, ECONOMICS
- Funding, Government
- Government Spendings
- Support, Federal
- BT FINANCING MECHANISMS
- NT PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

FINANCING MECHANISMS — FINANCE, ECONOMICS
- NT FEE-FOR-SERVICE
- FINANCING, GOVERNMENT
- FINANCING, ORGANIZED
- OUT-OF-POCKET EXPENSES
- PREPAYMENT
- REIMBURSEMENT
- RESEARCH SUPPORT
- TAXES

FINANCING, ORGANIZED — N3.13.37; N3.26
- x Finance — FINANCE, ECONOMICS
- Funding
- Health Care Financing
- BT FINANCING MECHANISMS

Fiscal Budget use BUDGET and FEDERAL GOVERNMENT

Fiscal Intermediary use THIRD PARTY PAYMENT

FLOW CHARTS — TAGS
x Organization Chart
BT NON-CONCEPTUAL CONTENTS

FMG — M.85.16; N2.36.45.1
x Foreign Medical Graduates — MANPOWER
BT FOREIGN PROFESSIONAL PERSONNEL

FOCUSED REVIEW
BT PEER REVIEW — HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT

Follow-up use FOLLOW-UP STUDIES

FOLLOW-UP STUDIES — E5.31.11
x Follow-up — TAGS
BT HEALTH SURVEYS

Forecasting use PLANNING

Foreign Medical Graduates use FMG

Foreign Object Cases use COURT CASES and/or MALPRACTICE

FOREIGN PROFESSIONAL PERSONNEL — M.41; N2.36.22
BT NAMED GROUPS OF PERSONS — MANPOWER
NT FMG

FORMS — TAGS
x Worksheets
BT NON-CONCEPTUAL CONTENTS

FORMULARIES — L.90.48; N4.22.24
BT ORGANIZATION AND ADMINISTRATION — HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES

FOUNDATIONS — N3.52.14; N3.13.60.1
x Comprehensive Foundations — HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
Medical Care Foundations
Medical Foundations
BT ORGANIZATIONS

FRAUD — LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS
BT JURISPRUDENCE

FTC — LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS
BT ANTITRUST

Funding use FINANCING, ORGANIZED

Funding, Government use FINANCING, GOVERNMENT

General Hospitals use HOSPITALS, GENERAL

General Practice use FAMILY PRACTICE

General Practitioners use FAMILY PRACTICE

Generic Equivalence use GENERIC PRESCRIBING and/or THERAPEUTIC EQUIVALENCY

GENERIC PRESCRIBING x Generic Equivalence BT DRUGS	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
GEOGRAPHIC DISTRIBUTION BT RESIDENCE CHARACTERISTICS	STATISTICS, DEMOGRAPHY
GEOGRAPHIC FACTORS	STATISTICS, DEMOGRAPHY

Geographic Regions use PSRO, AREAS

Glossary use DEFINITIONS

GOVERNING BOARD x Hospital Governing Board BT ORGANIZATION AND ADMINISTRATION RT TRUSTEES	N4.22.28 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
GOVERNMENT	I.41 SOCIAL PHENOMENA

Government Benefits use BENEFITS

GOVERNMENT CONTROL x Government Involvement Government Regulations	LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS

Government Hospitals use HOSPITALS, GOVERNMENT

Government Involvement use GOVERNMENT CONTROL

GOVERNMENT PROGRAMS NT PROGRAM EVALUATION	I.49 FINANCE, ECONOMICS

Government Regulations use FEDERAL REGULATION and/or GOVERNMENT CONTROL

Government Spendings use FINANCING, GOVERNMENT and/or HEALTH EXPENDITURES

Graduate Education use EDUCATION, MEDICAL, GRADUATE

GROUP PLANS	FINANCE, ECONOMICS
GROUP PRACTICE x Multispecialty Group Practice BT PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE	N4.66.6 MANPOWER

GROUP PRACTICE, PRE-PAID x Prepaid Group Practice Prepaid Health Organizations BT PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE	MANPOWER
Guidance Program <u>use</u> COUNSELING	
GUIDELINES BT NON-CONCEPTUAL CONTENTS	TAGS
HANDICAPPED x Disabled BT POPULATION CHARACTERISTICS RT REHABILITATION	M.43; N1.48.28 STATISTICS, DEMOGRAPHY
Hardware Evaluation <u>use</u> COMPUTER HARDWARE EVALUATION	
Health <u>use</u> HEALTH STATUS	
HEALTH AND WELFARE PLANNING x Areawide Planning Community Health Planning Health Care Planning Health Facility Planning Health Planning Planning, Health Services Regional Health Planning BT PLANNING	I.91.44.1; N3.39 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
HEALTH SYSTEMS AGENCIES (HSA) BT PLANNING	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
Health Benefits <u>use</u> BENEFITS	
HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT	HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT Note: Use only as a category term
Health Care Costs <u>use</u> COSTS AND COST ANALYSIS	
Health Care Delivery <u>use</u> DELIVERY OF HEALTH CARE	
HEALTH CARE DELIVERY SYSTEMS x Comprehensive Health Care Delivery Systems Cooperative Health Care Delivery Systems Health Care Systems Health Service Systems International Health Care Delivery Systems Medical Care Systems National Health Care System NT HOSPITAL SERVICE AREAS REGIONAL MEDICAL PROGRAMS REGIONAL SYSTEMS	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
Health Care Education <u>use</u> HEALTH EDUCATION	

HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES Note: Use only as a category term
Health Care Facility Construction use HOSPITAL DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION	
Health Care Financing use FINANCING, ORGANIZED	
HEALTH CARE INDUSTRY x Health Industry Organized Medicine	SOCIAL PHENOMENA
Health Care Planning use HEALTH AND WELFARE PLANNING	
Health Care Plans use INSURANCE, HEALTH	
HEALTH CARE PROVIDER x Providers	FINANCE, ECONOMICS
Health Care Systems use HEALTH CARE DELIVERY SYSTEMS	
Health Care Teams use PATIENT CARE TEAMS	
Health Centers use NEIGHBORHOOD HEALTH CENTERS	
HEALTH DATA SYSTEMS x Health Information Systems Patient Information Systems	DATA PROCESSING
HEALTH DEPARTMENTS x State Health Departments BT PUBLIC HEALTH	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
HEALTH EDUCATION x Community Health Education Family Education Health Care Education BT EDUCATION PREVENTIVE HEALTH SERVICES RT CONSUMER EDUCATION	I.26.7; N2.39.45.1 MANPOWER; HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES Note: Education which increases the awareness and favorably influences the attitudes and knowledge relating to the improvement of health on a personal or community basis
Health Examination use PHYSICAL EXAMINATION	
HEALTH EXPENDITURES x Expenditures, Health Government Spendings	FINANCE, ECONOMICS

Health Facility Planning use HEALTH AND WELFARE PLANNING and/or HOSPITAL DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION

HEALTH FACILITY SIZE — N2.18.12 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
- x Capacity
- Hospital Bed Capacity
- Hospital Capacity
- Overcapacity
- Size (of Hospitals)
- NT BED RATES

Health Facility Utilization use UTILIZATION, HEALTH FACILITY

Health Industry use HEALTH CARE INDUSTRY

HEALTH INFORMATION — DATA PROCESSING
- NT HEALTH SURVEYS

Health Information Systems use HEALTH DATA SYSTEMS

Health Insurance use INSURANCE, HEALTH

Health Interview Survey use HEALTH SURVEYS

Health Maintenance use PREVENTIVE HEALTH SERVICES

Health Maintenance Organizations use HMO

Health Outcomes use OUTCOME APPROACH

Health Planning use HEALTH AND WELFARE PLANNING

Health Policy use NATIONAL HEALTH POLICY

HEALTH RESOURCE FACTORS — STATISTICS, DEOMOGRAPHY
- x Medical Resource Factors
- Resource Scheduling
- Resource Utilization
- Resources, Medical
- Supply and Demand
- BT PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE PATTERNS — MANPOWER

Health Resources Utilization use HEALTH RESOURCE FACTORS and/or UTILIZATION, HEALTH FACILITY

Health Service Delivery use DELIVERY OF HEALTH CARE

Health Service Systems use HEALTH CARE DELIVERY SYSTEMS

HEALTH SERVICES ADMINISTRATION NT DECISION PROCESS ORGANIZATION AND ADMINISTRATION ORGANIZATIONS RECORDS	N4. HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
HEALTH SERVICES RESEARCH BT RESEARCH	DATA PROCESSING
Health Services Utilization <u>use</u> UTILIZATION, HEALTH FACILITY	
HEALTH STATUS x Health Health Status Measurement BT POPULATION CHARACTERISTICS	STATISTICS, DEMOGRAPHY
Health Status Measurement <u>use</u> HEALTH STATUS	
HEALTH SURVEYS x Community Health Surveys Health Interview Survey Interviews Patient Census Surveys and Survey Research BT HEALTH INFORMATION	N1.36.24 DATA PROCESSING
HEARINGS BT DOCUMENT FORM/TYPE NT CONGRESSIONAL HEARINGS	TAGS
Helicopter Rescue <u>use</u> TRANSPORT OF WOUNDED AND SICK	
HMO x Health Maintenance Organizations BT AMBULATORY CARE FACILITIES	N4.44.26.1; N4.66.6.1 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
HMO Act <u>use</u> PL 93-222	
HOME CARE SERVICES BT COMMUNITY HEALTH SERVICES NT HOME NURSING	N2.39.5.1 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
HOME NURSING BT HOME CARE SERVICES NURSING CARE	N2.39.5.1; N2.39.30.1 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
HOSPICE BT EXTENDED CARE FACILITIES	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES

HOSPITAL ADMINISTRATION — G2.26.; N4.22.32
HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES

BT ORGANIZATION AND ADMINISTRATION
NT HOSPITAL COMMUNICATION SYSTEMS
HOSPITAL MEDICATION SYSTEMS
HOSPITAL SHARED SERVICES
RT PROFESSIONAL STAFF COMMITTEES

Hospital Admission Rates use HOSPITAL ADMISSIONS and UTILIZATION, HEALTH FACILITY

HOSPITAL ADMISSIONS — HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES

x Admissions
Hospital Admission Rates
BT HOSPITALIZATION
NT PRE-ADMISSION CERTIFICATION

Hospital Bed Capacity use HEALTH FACILITY SIZE and/or BED RATES

Hospital Beds, Utilization use UTILIZATION, HEALTH FACILITY and BED RATES

Hospital Budget use BUDGET

Hospital Capacity use BED RATES and/or HEALTH FACILITY SIZE

Hospital Clinic Visits use HOSPITAL OUTPATIENT CLINICS and UTILIZATION, HEALTH FACILITY

Hospital Committees use PROFESSIONAL STAFF COMMITTEES

HOSPITAL COMMUNICATION SYSTEMS — N4.22.32.1
HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES

BT HOSPITAL ADMINISTRATION

HOSPITAL COSTS — FINANCE, ECONOMICS

BT COSTS AND COST ANALYSIS

HOSPITAL DENTAL SERVICE — N2.18.15.1
HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES

BT HOSPITAL DEPARTMENTS

HOSPITAL DENTAL STAFF — M.21.20; M.48.10
N2.36.14.1; N2.36.24.1
MANPOWER

BT HOSPITAL PERSONNEL

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENTS — N2.18.15
HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES

x Hospital Services
NT HOSPITAL DENTAL SERVICE
HOSPITAL EMERGENCY SERVICE
HOSPITAL FOOD SERVICE
HOSPITAL MAINTENANCE
HOSPITAL NURSING SERVICE

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENTS (Con't.)

HOSPITAL OUTPATIENT CLINICS
HOSPITAL PHARMACY SERVICE
HOSPITAL PSYCHIATRIC DEPARTMENTS

HOSPITAL DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION — J.12.22.1 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
x Certification of Need
Construction Standards
Health Care Facility Construction
Health Facility Planning
BT PLANNING

Hospital Dietary Departments use HOSPITAL FOOD SERVICE

HOSPITAL DISCHARGE — HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
x Discharge
Discharge Criteria
Discharge Data
Discharge, Eligibility Determination
Discharge Planning
Patient Discharge Summaries
BT HOSPITALIZATION

Hospital Emergency Department use HOSPITAL EMERGENCY SERVICE

HOSPITAL EMERGENCY SERVICE — N2.18.15.1; N2.39.20.1 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
x Emergency Rooms
Emergency Room Utilization
Hospital Emergency Department
BT EMERGENCY HEALTH SERVICES
HOSPITAL DEPARTMENTS

HOSPITAL EMERGENCY STAFF — MANPOWER
x Emergency Health Service Staff
BT HOSPITAL PERSONNEL

HOSPITAL FOOD SERVICE — N2.18.15.1; N2.39.15.1 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
x Hospital Dietary Departments
BT HOSPITAL DEPARTMENTS

Hospital Goals use OWNERSHIP and/or ORGANIZATIONAL AFFILIATION

Hospital Governing Board use GOVERNING BOARD

Hospital House Staff use HOSPITAL MEDICAL STAFF

Hospital Inpatient use PATIENTS and HOSPITALIZATION

Hospital Liability use LIABILITY, CORPORATE

HOSPITAL MAINTENANCE — N2.18.15.1, N2.44.24 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
x Maintenance
BT HOSPITAL DEPARTMENTS

HOSPITAL MEDICAL STAFF		M.48.21; N2.36.24.1;
x	Hospital House Staff	N2.36.32.1
	Hospital Staff	MANPOWER
	House Staff	
	Staff Physicians	
BT	HOSPITAL PERSONNEL	
HOSPITAL MEDICATION SYSTEMS		N4.22.32.1
x	Medication Control Process	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES
BT	MEDICATION SYSTEMS	AND SERVICES
	HOSPITAL ADMINISTRATION	
HOSPITAL NURSING SERVICE		N2.18.15.1
BT	HOSPITAL DEPARTMENTS	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES
		AND SERVICES
HOSPITAL NURSING STAFF		M.48.32; N2.36.24.1
x	Nursing Staff	N2.36.39.1
BT	HOSPITAL PERSONNEL	MANPOWER
HOSPITAL OUTPATIENT CLINICS		N2.18.15.1
x	Hospital Clinic Visits	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES
	Outpatient Clinics	AND SERVICES
BT	HOSPITAL DEPARTMENTS	
	AMBULATORY CARE FACILITIES	
RT	AMBULATORY CARE	
HOSPITAL PERSONNEL		M.48.; N2.36.24
x	Hospital Staff	MANPOWER
BT	NAMED GROUPS OF PERSONS	
NT	HOSPITAL DENTAL STAFF	
	HOSPITAL EMERGENCY STAFF	
	HOSPITAL MEDICAL STAFF	
	HOSPITAL NURSING STAFF	
	HOSPITAL PHARMACISTS	
HOSPITAL PHARMACISTS		MANPOWER
BT	HOSPITAL PERSONNEL	
HOSPITAL PHARMACY SERVICE		N2.18.15.1; N2.39.40.1
BT	HOSPITAL DEPARTMENTS	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES
RT	PHARMACIES	AND SERVICES
HOSPITAL PLANNING COMMITTEES		HEALTH CARE FACILITIES
BT	PLANNING	AND SERVICES

Hospital Practice <u>use</u> INSTITUTIONAL PRACTICE

HOSPITAL PSYCHIATRIC DEPARTMENTS		N2.18.15.1
BT	HOSPITAL DEPARTMENTS	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES
		AND SERVICES

Hospital Rates <u>use</u> FEES AND CHARGES and HOSPITALS

HOSPITAL SERVICE AREAS — HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
BT HEALTH CARE DELIVERY SYSTEMS

Hospital Services use HOSPITAL DEPARTMENTS

HOSPITAL SHARED SERVICES — N4.22.32.1 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
x Cooperative Care
BT HOSPITAL ADMINISTRATION

Hospital Staff use HOSPITAL PERSONNEL or HOSPITAL MEDICAL STAFF

Hospital Staff Committees use PROFESSIONAL STAFF COMMITTEES

Hospital Standards use STANDARDS or STANDARDS OF CARE

Hospital Stay use HOSPITALIZATION and/or LENGTH OF STAY

Hospital Trustees use TRUSTEES

HOSPITAL UNITS — N2.18.23; N2.18.24.1 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
NT BLOOD BANKS
CORONARY CARE UNITS
INTENSIVE CARE UNITS
LABORATORIES
OPERATING ROOMS
RECOVERY ROOMS

Hospital Utilization use UTILIZATION, HEALTH FACILITY

HOSPITALIZATION — N2.39.35.1 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
x Hospital Inpatient
Hospital Stay
Inpatient Care
Inpatients
BT DELIVERY OF HEALTH CARE
NT HOSPITAL ADMISSIONS
HOSPITAL DISCHARGE
LENGTH OF STAY

Hospitalization, Eligibility Determination use PRE-ADMISSION CERTIFICATION

HOSPITALS — N2.18.24 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
x Hospital Rates
NT HOSPITALS, ACUTE CARE
HOSPITALS, COMMUNITY
HOSPITALS, GENERAL
HOSPITALS, GOVERNMENT
HOSPITALS, MILITARY
HOSPITALS, NONPROFIT
HOSPITALS, PROPRIETARY
HOSPITALS, PSYCHIATRIC
HOSPITALS, SPECIAL
HOSPITALS, TEACHING
HOSPITALS, URBAN
HOSPITALS, VETERANS

HOSPITALS, ACUTE CARE		HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
x	Acute Care Hospitals	
	Short Stay Hospitals	
	Short-term Hospitals	
BT	HOSPITALS	
HOSPITALS, COMMUNITY		N2.18.24.1
x	Community Hospitals	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
BT	HOSPITALS	
HOSPITALS, GENERAL		N2.18.24.1
x	General Hospitals	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
BT	HOSPITALS	
HOSPITALS, GOVERNMENT		HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
x	Government Hospitals	
BT	HOSPITALS	
HOSPITALS, MILITARY		HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
BT	HOSPITALS	
HOSPITALS, NON PROFIT		HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
x	Non-Profit Hospitals	
	Voluntary Non-Profit Hospitals	
BT	HOSPITALS	

Hospitals, Osteopathic <u>use</u> HOSPITALS, SPECIAL

Hospitals, Pediatric <u>use</u> HOSPITALS, SPECIAL

HOSPITALS, PROPRIETARY		HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
x	Proprietary Hospitals	
BT	HOSPITALS	
HOSPITALS, PSYCHIATRIC		N2.18.24.1
x	Psychiatric Hospitals	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
	State Mental Hospitals	
BT	HOSPITALS	
HOSPITALS, SPECIAL		N2.18.24.1
x	Hospitals, Osteopathic	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
	Hospitals, Pediatric	
	Osteopathic Hospitals	
	Special Hospitals	
BT	HOSPITALS	
HOSPITALS, TEACHING		N2.18.24.1
x	Academic Medical Center	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
	Hospitals, University	
	Teaching Hospitals	
	University Hospitals	
BT	HOSPITALS	

Hospitals, University <u>use</u> HOSPITALS, TEACHING

HOSPITALS, URBAN x Urban Hospitals BT HOSPITALS	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
HOSPITALS, VETERANS x Hospitals, Veterans Administration Veterans Administration Hospitals Veterans Hospitals BT HOSPITALS	N2.18.24.1 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
Hospitals, Veterans Administration use HOSPITALS, VETERANS	
House Officer Training use INTERNSHIP AND RESIDENCY	
House Staff use HOSPITAL MEDICAL STAFF	
HR-1	HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT; LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS Note: Use for search only
HUMAN EXPERIMENTATION x Patient Selection (for clinical trials) RT ETHICS INFORMED CONSENT	E5.51 LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS
Immunity Statutes use LIABILITY EXEMPTION	
IMMUNIZATION BT PREVENTIVE HEALTH SERVICES	E2.42 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
IMPACT APPROACH BT EVALUATION METHODOLOGIES	HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT
Implementation-PSRO use PSRO, IMPLEMENTATION	
IN HOUSE REVIEW x Inhouse Review BT PEER REVIEW	HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT Note: System of review carried out within a hospital or other health facility
INCENTIVES BT ECONOMICS, MEDICAL	FINANCE, ECONOMICS
INCOME BT SOCIOECONOMIC FACTORS	N1.96.16 STATISTICS, DEMOGRAPHY
INCORPORATION STATUTES	LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS
Individual Licensure use LICENSURE and specific type of MANPOWER (i.e., PHYSICIANS, NURSING, etc.)	
Industrial Medicine use OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH SERVICES	
INFANT BT AGE FACTORS	G1.4.52; M.58 STATISTICS, DEMOGRAPHY

Infant Health Services use CHILD HEALTH SERVICES

INFECTIONS COMMITTEE — HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
BT PROFESSIONAL STAFF COMMITTEES

INFORMATION NEEDS — DATA PROCESSING
x Information Requirements

Information Requirements use INFORMATION NEEDS

INFORMATION SYSTEMS — DATA PROCESSING
x Data Management Systems
Rapid Retrieval Systems
Reporting Systems

INFORMED CONSENT — N3.65.40.1
BT JURISPRUDENCE — LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS
RT HUMAN EXPERIMENTATION

Inhouse Review use IN HOUSE REVIEW

Inpatient Care use HOSPITALIZATION

Inpatient Utilization use UTILIZATION, HEALTH FACILITY

Inpatients use HOSPITALIZATION and PATIENTS

INSERVICE TRAINING — I.22.8.1
BT EDUCATION — MANPOWER

INSTITUTIONAL ECONOMICS — FINANCE, ECONOMICS
NT INVESTMENT
OPERATING COSTS
WAGES AND SALARIES

Institutional Licensure use LICENSURE, INSTITUTIONAL

INSTITUTIONAL PRACTICE — N4.66.18
x Clinical Practice — MANPOWER
Hospital Practice
BT PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE

INSTITUTIONAL REVIEW — HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT
x Agency Review
BT PEER REVIEW
Note: Peer review in which general patterns of care provided to patients within an agency are assessed

Insurance use INSURANCE, HEALTH or INSURANCE, LIABILITY

INSURANCE CARRIERS — FINANCE, ECONOMICS
x Commercial Carriers
Insurance, Private Carriers

INSURANCE CLAIMS x Claims Claims Processing Claims Rejection Claims Review	FINANCE, ECONOMICS

Insurance, Deductibles and Coinsurance use DEDUCTIBLES AND COINSURANCE

INSURANCE, HEALTH x Health Care Plans Health Insurance Insurance Prepaid Health Care Plans Prepaid Medical Insurance Voluntary Health Insurance NT INSURANCE, HEALTH, CATASTROPHIC MEDICAID MEDICARE NHI	N3.26.33 FINANCE, ECONOMICS
INSURANCE, HEALTH, CATASTROPHIC BT INSURANCE, HEALTH	FINANCE, ECONOMICS
INSURANCE, LIABILITY x Insurance Malpractice Insurance	N3.26.44 FINANCE, ECONOMICS
INSURANCE, NO-FAULT BT INSURANCE, LIABILITY	FINANCE, ECONOMICS
INSURANCE PREMIUMS	FINANCE, ECONOMICS

Insurance, Private Carriers use INSURANCE CARRIERS

INTENSIVE CARE UNITS x Advanced Life Support System Basic Life Support Life Support Units BT HOSPITAL UNITS RT RECOVERY ROOMS	N2.18.23.1 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
INTERMEDIATE CARE FACILITY BT EXTENDED CARE FACILITIES	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
INTERNATIONAL x International Health Care Delivery System BT NON-CONCEPTUAL CONTENTS	TAGS Note: Use for any document about a country other than the U.S.

International Health Care Delivery Systems use HEALTH CARE DELIVERY SYSTEMS and INTERNATIONAL

Interns use INTERNSHIP AND RESIDENCY

INTERNSHIP AND RESIDENCY x House Officer Training Interns Residence Training Program Residents BT EDUCATION	I.22.48 MANPOWER

Interpersonal Relationships use PROFESSIONAL-PATIENT RELATIONS

INTERPROFESSIONAL RELATIONS BT PHYSICIAN CHARACTERISTICS	F1.99.18.1; N4.66.24 MANPOWER
INTERVIEW BT DOCUMENT FORM/TYPE	TAGS Note: Use when the article is an interview with a person or a group of people

Interviews use SAMPLING STUDIES and/or HEALTH SURVEYS

INVESTMENT BT INSTITUTIONAL ECONOMICS	FINANCE, ECONOMICS
JOURNAL REFERENCE ISSUE BT DOCUMENT FORM/TYPE	TAGS
JURISPRUDENCE x Contract Law Jurisprudence, Medical Medical Jurisprudence Medico-Legal Principles Tort Law NT APPEALS CONFIDENTIALITY DISCLOSURE EXPERT TESTIMONY FRAUD INFORMED CONSENT LIABILITY LIABILITY, CORPORATE MALPRACTICE NEGLIGENCE PATIENT INJURY PROXIMATE CAUSE PSRO, JURISPRUDENCE (Search only)	N3.65.40 LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS

Jurisprudence, Medical use JURISPRUDENCE

Labeling use DRUG LABELING

Labor, Organized use LABOR UNIONS

LABOR UNIONS x Labor, Organized	N3.52.26 SOCIAL PHENOMENA
LABORATORIES x Automated Laboratory Diagnosis, Laboratory Laboratory Computer Systems Laboratory Tests Physicians' Office Laboratories BT ANCILLARY SERVICES	N2.18.27 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES

Laboratory Computer Systems use LABORATORIES and COMPUTERS

Laboratory Tests use LABORATORIES

Laboratory Utilization use UTILIZATION, LABORATORY

LAWS, NAMES NT CLIA MAC PL 92-603 PL 93-222 PL 93-641 PL 95-142 NHI PRIVACY ACT	LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS Note: Not a searchable term

Lay Board Members use PSRO, PERSONNEL

Lay Personnel use ALLIED HEALTH PERSONNEL

Legal Responsibility use LIABILITY

Legislation, Pharmacy use DRUG AND NARCOTIC CONTROL

LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS	LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS Note: Use only as a category term

Legislative Repeal (PSRO) use PSRO, OPPOSITION

LENGTH OF STAY x Hospital Stay BT HOSPITALIZATION	N2.39.35.1 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
LETTER BT DOCUMENT FORM/TYPE	TAGS Note: Refers to type of document

LEVEL OF CARE		HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
x	Adequacy of Care	
	Minimal Care	
	Optimal Care	
	Quackery	
	Quasi-Care	
BT	DELIVERY OF HEALTH CARE	
RT	PATIENT CARE MANAGEMENT	
LIABILITY		LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS
x	Legal Responsibility	
	Liability Suits	
	Personal Liability	
	Physician Liability	
BT	JURISPRUDENCE	
LIABILITY, CORPORATE		LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS
x	Hospital Liability	
	Liability, Institutional	
BT	JURISPRUDENCE	
LIABILITY EXEMPTION		HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT; LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS Note: Protection from civil liability for those: a) engaged in required review actions b) who provide information to PSROs in good faith c) who adhere to the recommendations of the review organizations
x	Civil Immunity	
	Immunity Statutes	
	Malpractice Exemption	
	Medico-Legal Immunity	
	Peer Review Liability Exemption	
	Review Liability Exemption	
BT	PSRO	

Liability, Institutional <u>use</u> LIABILITY, CORPORATE

Liability Suits <u>use</u> LIABILITY

Licensing <u>use</u> LICENSURE

LICENSING BOARDS		MANPOWER; LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS
x	State Licensing Boards	
BT	LICENSURE	

Licensing Laws <u>use</u> LICENSURE, LAWS

LICENSURE		N3.65.56 MANPOWER; LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS
x	Individual Licensure	
	Licensing	
	State Licensing Examinations	
BT	ACCREDITATION, CERTIFICATION, LICENSURE	

Licensure Exams <u>use</u> EXAMS

Licensure, Health Care Facility use LICENSURE, INSTITUTIONAL

LICENSURE, INSTITUTIONAL x Institutional Licensure Licensure, Health Care Facility BT LICENSURE	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES; LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS
LICENSURE, LAWS x Licensing Laws State Licensure Laws BT LICENSURE	MANPOWER; LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS
LIFE EXPECTANCY BT VITAL STATISTICS	N1.36.56.1 STATISTICS, DEMOGRAPHY

Life Support Units use INTENSIVE CARE UNITS

Literature Review use STATE-OF-THE-ART REVIEW

LOCAL GOVERNMENT x City Government Municipal Government BT GOVERNMENT	SOCIAL PHENOMENA

Local Medical Care use COMMUNITY HEALTH SERVICES

Local Review Organizations (PSRO) use PSRO, LOCAL REVIEW ORGANIZATIONS

LONG TERM CARE BT DELIVERY OF HEALTH CARE	N2.39.35.1
MAC (Maximum Allowable Cost) BT LAWS, NAMES	LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS

Maintenance use HOSPITAL MAINTENANCE

MALPRACTICE x Abandonment Assault and Battery Compensation Foreign Object Cases Medical Malpractice Nuisance Suits BT JURISPRUDENCE	N3.65.40.1 LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS

Malpractice Exemption use LIABILITY EXEMPTION

Malpractice Insurance use INSURANCE, LIABILITY

MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS x Business Management BT ORGANIZATION AND ADMINISTRATION	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
MANPOWER	MANPOWER Note: Use only as a category term
Manpower Utilization <u>use</u> UTILIZATION, MANPOWER	
Marital Status <u>use</u> FAMILY CHARACTERISTICS	
MASS SCREENING x Computer Screening BT PREVENTIVE HEALTH SERVICES	E1.52.; N2.39.45.1 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
MATERNAL HEALTH SERVICES BT COMMUNITY HEALTH SERVICES	N2.39.5.1 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
Mathematical Models <u>use</u> MODELS, MATHEMATICAL	
MCE (Medical Care Evaluation) BT EVALUATION METHODOLOGIES	HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT
Measuring Units <u>use</u> WEIGHTS AND MEASURES	
MEASURES x Rating Scale BT EVALUATION METHODOLOGIES	HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT
MEDICAID BT INSURANCE, HEALTH	FINANCE, ECONOMICS
MEDICAL AUDIT x Patient Care Audit Surgical Record Review BT AUDIT RT NURSING AUDIT	N4.88.16 HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT Note: Assessment of the quality of medical care involving the critical analysis of patient management
Medical Care <u>use</u> DELIVERY OF HEALTH CARE	
Medical Care Foundations <u>use</u> FOUNDATIONS	
Medical Care Research <u>use</u> RESEARCH	
Medical Care Systems <u>use</u> HEALTH CARE DELIVERY SYSTEMS	
Medical Care Teams <u>use</u> PATIENT CARE TEAM	

Medical Care Utilization use UTILIZATION

Medical Education use EDUCATION, MEDICAL

Medical Ethics use ETHICS, MEDICAL

Medical Examination use PHYSICAL EXAMINATION

Medical Foundations use FOUNDATIONS

Medical Journals use PERIODICALS

Medical Jurisprudence use JURISPRUDENCE

Medical Malpractice use MALPRACTICE

Medical Need use PATIENT NEED ASSESSMENT

MEDICAL RECORDS		N4.22.60.1
x	Patient Charts	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES
	Patient Records	AND SERVICES;
BT	RECORDS	DATA PROCESSING, COMMU-
NT	POMR	NICATION, DOCUMENTATION
MEDICAL RECORDS LIBRARIANS		M.5.21; N2.36.4.1
BT	ALLIED HEALTH PERSONNEL	MANPOWER

Medical Records, Problem Oriented use POMR

Medical Resource Factors use HEALTH RESOURCE FACTORS

Medical Schools use SCHOOLS, MEDICAL

Medical Societies use SOCIETIES, MEDICAL

Medical Specialties use SPECIALTIES, MEDICAL

Medical Students use STUDENTS, MEDICAL

MEDICARE		FINANCE, ECONOMICS
BT	INSURANCE, HEALTH	

Medication Control Process use HOSPITAL MEDICATION SYSTEMS

Medication Process use MEDICATION SYSTEMS

MEDICATION SYSTEMS		N4.22.34
x	Medication Process	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES
BT	DRUGS	AND SERVICES
	ORGANIZATION AND ADMINISTRATION	
NT	HOSPITAL MEDICATION SYSTEMS	

Medico-Legal Immunity Use LIABILITY EXEMPTION

Medico-Legal Immunity use LIABILITY EXEMPTION

Medico-Legal Principles use JURISPRUDENCE

Mental Health Centers use MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES

MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES x Mental Health Centers NT COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES COUNSELING	F3.26; N2.39.25 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES

Methodology use METHODS

METHODS x Methodology Procedures BT NON-CONCEPTUAL CONTENTS	E5.73 TAGS

Minimal Care use LEVEL OF CARE

Minimum Autopsy Rates use AUTOPSY

MINORITY GROUPS x Minority Physicians	I.91.25; N1.36.32 STATISTICS, DEMOGRAPHY

Minority Physicians use PHYSICIANS and MINORITY GROUPS

MOBILE HEALTH UNITS BT PREVENTIVE HEALTH SERVICES	N2.39.20.1; N2.39.45.1 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
MODELS, MATHEMATICAL x Mathematical Models BT NON-CONCEPTUAL CONTENTS	DATA PROCESSING TAGS

Models, Planning use MODELS, THEORETICAL

MODELS, PSYCHOLOGICAL x Behavioral Models BT NON-CONCEPTUAL CONTENTS	H.88.13.1 DATA PROCESSING TAGS
MODELS, THEORETICAL x Computer-Based Model Conceptual Models Models, Planning Simulation Model Systems Model BT NON-CONCEPTUAL CONTENTS	H.88.13 DATA PROCESSING, TAGS
MORBIDITY x Disease Frequency BT VITAL STATISTICS	N1.36.56.1 STATISTICS, DEMOGRAPHY

MORTALITY x Death Rate Mortality Rates BT VITAL STATISTICS	N1.36.56.1 STATISTICS, DEMOGRAPHY
Mortality Rates use MORTALITY	
MOTION PICTURES x Films BT AUDIO-VISUAL AIDS	L.12.27 DATA PROCESSING
MULTIDISCIPLINARY AUDIT BT AUDIT	HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT
MULTIPHASIC SCREENING x Screening BT PREVENTIVE HEALTH SERVICES	E1.52.40; N2.39.45.1 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
Multispecialty Group Practice use GROUP PRACTICE and SPECIALTIES, MEDICAL	
MULTISTATE BT NON-CONCEPTUAL CONTENTS	TAGS Note: Use for documents about programs in several states
Municipal Government use LOCAL GOVERNMENT	
NAMED GROUPS OF PERSONS NT ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL ALLIED HEALTH PERSONNEL CONSULTANTS DENTISTS FACULTY FOREIGN PROFESSIONAL PERSONNEL HOSPITAL PERSONNEL NURSES PATIENT CARE TEAM PHYSICIAN-PATIENTS PHYSICIANS PSRO, PERSONNEL STUDENTS TRUSTEES	M. MANPOWER Note: Not a searchable term
National Health Care System use HEALTH CARE DELIVERY SYSTEMS	
National Health Insurance use NHI	
National Health Planning use NATIONAL HEALTH POLICY and PLANNING	
NATIONAL HEALTH POLICY x Federal Policy Health Policy National Health Planning	LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS
National Registry use REGISTRIES	

Necropsy <u>use</u> AUTOPSY

Need Assessment <u>use</u> PATIENT NEED ASSESSMENT

NEGLIGENCE x Reasonable Care BT JURISPRUDENCE	LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS Note: Failure to exercise "reasonable care" (the degree of care that a reasonably prudent man would exercise under similar circumstances)
NEIGHBORHOOD HEALTH CENTERS x Community Health Centers Health Centers BT COMMUNITY HEALTH SERVICES	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
NHI x National Health Insurance BT INSURANCE, HEALTH, NAMES NT NHI, ATTITUDES NHI, COSTS NHI, IMPLEMENTATION NHI, PROPOSALS	FINANCE, ECONOMICS LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS
NHI, ATTITUDES BT NHI	LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS
NHI, COSTS BT NHI	FINANCE, ECONOMICS
NHI, IMPLEMENTATION BT NHI	LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS
NHI, PROPOSALS BT, NHI	LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS
NOMENCLATURE x Terminology NT ABBREVIATIONS EPONYMS	L.54.49; L.78.43 DATA PROCESSING
NON-CONCEPTUAL CONTENTS NT CARE CRITERIA CASE STUDIES DEFINITIONS DEMONSTRATION PROJECTS DIAGNOSES EVALUATION METHODOLOGY FLOW CHARTS FORMS GUIDELINES HEALTH SURVEYS	TAGS Note: Not a searchable term

NON-CONCEPTUAL CONTENTS

INTERNATIONAL
METHODS
MODELS, MATHEMATICAL
MODELS, PSYCHOLOGICAL
MODELS, THEORETICAL
OPERATIONAL DESCRIPTIONS
PROGRAM RESULTS
PROTOCOLS
REFERENCES
STANDARDS
STATE
STATISTICAL TABLES
THEORIES, CONCEPTS

Non-Physician Coordinators (PSRO) use PSRO, PERSONNEL
or NURSE COORDINATORS

Non-Profit Hospitals use HOSPITALS, NON-PROFIT

Noncompliance use PATIENT DROPOUTS

NON PHYSICIAN REVIEW			HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT
	BT	PEER REVIEW COMMITTEES	

Nonrandomized Studies use SAMPLING STUDIES

Nuisance Suits use MALPRACTICE

Nurse Clinician use NURSE PRACTITIONERS

NURSE COORDINATORS			HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT;
	x	Non-Physician Coordinators	MANPOWER
	BT	PSRO, PERSONNEL	
		NURSES	
NURSE-PATIENT RELATIONS			F1.99.18.1; N4.44.52.1
	BT	PROFESSIONAL-PATIENT RELATIONS	MANPOWER
NURSE PRACTITIONERS			G2.48.56.1; M.78.25
	x	Nurse Clinician	N2.36.36.1
	BT	NURSES	MANPOWER

Nurse Supervisor use NURSING, SUPERVISORY

NURSES			M.78; N2.36.36
	BT	NAMED GROUPS OF PERSONS	MANPOWER
	NT	NURSE COORDINATORS	
		NURSE PRACTITIONERS	
		NURSING, SUPERVISORY	
NURSES' AIDES			M.5.25; N2.36.4.1
	BT	ALLIED HEALTH PERSONNEL	MANPOWER

NURSING AUDIT x Patient Care Audit BT AUDIT RT MEDICAL AUDIT	N4.88.32 HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT
NURSING CARE BT DELIVERY OF HEALTH CARE NT HOME NURSING	N2.39.30 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
Nursing, Education <u>use</u> EDUCATION, NURSING	
NURSING HOMES BT EXTENDED CARE FACILITIES	N2.18.33 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
NURSING RECORDS BT RECORDS	N4.22.60.1 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES; DATA PROCESSING, COMMUNICATION, DOCUMENTATION
Nursing Staff <u>use</u> HOSPITAL NURSING STAFF	
NURSING, SUPERVISORY x Administrative Nursing Nurse Supervisor BT NURSES	N4.66.32 MANPOWER
OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH SERVICES x Employee Health Services Industrial Medicine	N2.39.5.1 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
Office Practice <u>use</u> PHYSICIANS' OFFICES and/or PRIVATE PRACTICE	
OPERATING COSTS BT INSTITUTIONAL ECONOMICS	FINANCE, ECONOMICS
OPERATING ROOMS BT HOSPITAL UNITS	N2.18.23.1 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
OPERATIONAL DESCRIPTIONS BT NON-CONCEPTUAL CONTENTS	TAGS
OPERATIONS RESEARCH RT SYSTEMS ANALYSIS	L.96.32 DATA PROCESSING
Optimal Care <u>use</u> LEVEL OF CARE	
Optimal Criteria <u>use</u> CARE CRITERIA	
Organization <u>use</u> ORGANIZATION AND ADMINISTRATION	

ORGANIZATION AND ADMINISTRATION — N4.22 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES

x Administration
Organization
BT HEALTH SERVICES ADMINISTRATION
NT APPOINTMENTS AND SCHEDULES
FEE SCHEDULES
FORMULARIES
GOVERNING BOARD
HOSPITAL ADMINISTRATION
MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS
MEDICATION SYSTEMS
ORGANIZATIONAL AFFILIATION
OWNERSHIP
PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT
PHARMACY ADMINISTRATION
PRACTICE MANAGEMENT
PUBLIC RELATIONS
STAFFING

Organization Chart use FLOW CHARTS

ORGANIZATIONAL AFFILIATION — N4.22.36 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES

x Hospital Goals
BT ORGANIZATION AND ADMINISTRATION

Organizational Approach use STRUCTURE APPROACH

ORGANIZATIONS — N3.52 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES

BT HEALTH SERVICES ADMINISTRATION
NT FOUNDATIONS
SOCIETIES, DENTAL
SOCIETIES, MEDICAL

Organized Medicine use HEALTH CARE INDUSTRY

Osteopathic Colleges use SCHOOLS, MEDICAL

Osteopathic Hospitals use HOSPITALS, SPECIAL

Outcome use OUTCOME APPROACH

OUTCOME APPROACH — HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT

x End Result Measurement
End Results
Health Outcomes
Outcome
Outcome Index
Patient Response (to care)
Results of Care
BT EVALUATION METHODOLOGIES

Outcome Index use OUTCOME APPROACH

OUT-OF-POCKET EXPENSES — FINANCE, ECONOMICS
BT FINANCING MECHANISMS

Outpatient Care use AMBULATORY CARE

Outpatient Clinics use HOSPITAL OUTPATIENT CLINICS or AMBULATORY CARE FACILITIES

OUTREACH — HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
BT COMMUNITY HEALTH SERVICES

Overcapacity use HEALTH FACILITY SIZE

Overutilization use UTILIZATION

OWNERSHIP — N4.22.40 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
x Hospital Goals
BT ORGANIZATION AND ADMINISTRATION

PAMPHLET — TAGS
x Booklet
BT DOCUMENT FORM/TYPE
Note: Refers to type of document

PANEL DISCUSSION — TAGS
BT DOCUMENT FORM/TYPE
Note: Refers to type of document

Paraprofessionals use ALLIED HEALTH PERSONNEL

Patient Acceptance use ATTITUDE TO HEALTH

Patient Attitude use ATTITUDE TO HEALTH

Patient Care Audit use MEDICAL AUDIT or NURSING AUDIT

PATIENT CARE MANAGEMENT — N4.44 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
x Patient Comfort
Patient Management
BT DELIVERY OF HEALTH CARE
NT PATIENT CARE PLANNING
PATIENT COMPLIANCE
PATIENT MOVEMENT
PATIENT NEED ASSESSMENT
RT LEVEL OF CARE

PATIENT CARE PLANNING — N4.44.26.1 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
x Community Placement
Patient Placement
BT PATIENT CARE MANAGEMENT

PATIENT CARE TEAM — N4.44.39
x Health Care Teams — MANPOWER
Medical Care Teams
Teams
BT NAMED GROUPS OF PERSONS

Patient-Case Contact Data use PATIENTS

Patient Census use HEALTH SURVEYS

Patient Charts use MEDICAL RECORDS

Patient Classification use PATIENT NEED ASSESSMENT and/or CLASSIFICATION

Patient Comfort use PATIENT CARE MANAGEMENT

PATIENT COMPLIANCE — HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
BT PATIENT CARE MANAGEMENT

Patient Discharge Summaries use HOSPITAL DISCHARGE

PATIENT DROPOUTS — M.82.50; N1.72.40
x Noncompliance — HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
BT PATIENTS
RT ATTITUDE TO HEALTH

Patient Identification use PATIENTS

Patient Information Systems use HEALTH DATA SYSTEMS

PATIENT INJURY — LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS
BT JURISPRUDENCE

Patient Management use PATIENT CARE MANAGEMENT

PATIENT MOBILITY use ACCESS TO SERVICE

PATIENT MOVEMENT — HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
BT PATIENT CARE MANAGEMENT

PATIENT NEED ASSESSMENT — HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
x Medical Need
Need Assessment
Patient Classification
Prognosis
Triage
BT PATIENT CARE MANAGEMENT

Patient Placement use PATIENT CARE PLANNING

PATIENT PROFILES x Profiles BT RECORDS	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES; DATA PROCESSING

Patient Records use MEDICAL RECORDS

Patient Response (to care) use OUTCOME APPROACH

Patient Safety use SAFETY STANDARDS

Patient Satisfaction Surveys use CONSUMER SATISFACTION

Patient Selection (for clinical trials) use HUMAN EXPERIMENTATION

Patient Service Time use PROFESSIONAL-USER TIME

PATIENTS x Hospital Inpatient Inpatients Patient Case Contact Data Patient Identification BT RECIPIENTS OF HEALTH CARE NT ATTITUDE TO HEALTH PATIENT DROPOUTS	M.82.; N1.72. HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES

Payment use FEES AND CHARGES

PEER REVIEW NT CONCURRENT REVIEW DELEGATED REVIEW FOCUSED REVIEW IN HOUSE REVIEW INSTITUTIONAL REVIEW PEER REVIEW COMMITTEES PRIVATE REVIEW RETROSPECTIVE REVIEW	N4.88.35.1 HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT

PEER REVIEW COMMITTEES x Peer Review Panels Review Boards BT PEER REVIEW PROFESSIONAL STAFF COMMITTEES NT NON-PHYSICIAN REVIEW	HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT; HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES

Peer Review Liability Exemption use LIABILITY EXEMPTION

Peer Review Panels use PEER REVIEW COMMITTEES

Performance Criteria use STANDARDS OF CARE

Performance Observation use TASK PERFORMANCE AND ANALYSIS

PERIODICALS		L.84.54
x	Medical Journals	DATA PROCESSING

Personal Liability use LIABILITY

PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT		N4.22.44
BT	ORGANIZATION AND ADMINISTRATION	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
PHARMACEUTICAL MANUFACTURERS		HEALTH CARE FACILITIES
BT	DRUGS	AND SERVICES
PHARMACIES		N2.18.36
BT	DRUGS	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES
RT	HOSPITAL PHARMACY SERVICE	AND SERVICES
PHARMACISTS' AIDES		M.5.31; N2.36.4.1
x	Pharmacy Technicians	MANPOWER
BT	ALLIED HEALTH PERSONNEL	
PHARMACY ADMINISTRATION		N4.22.48
BT	DRUGS	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES
	ORGANIZATION AND ADMINISTRATION	AND SERVICES
PHARMACY AND THERAPEUTICS COMMITTEE		N4.66.54.1
BT	PROFESSIONAL STAFF COMMITTEES	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES
RT	THERAPEUTIC AUDIT	AND SERVICES

Pharmacy Technicians use PHARMACISTS' AIDES

PHDDS		
BT	DATA BASE	DATA PROCESSING
PHYSICAL EXAMINATION		E1.66
x	Health Examination	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES
	Medical Examination	AND SERVICES
BT	PREVENTIVE HEALTH SERVICES	

Physician Attitudes use ATTITUDE OF HEALTH PERSONNEL

PHYSICIAN AVAILABILITY		MANPOWER
x	Physicians, Shortage	
BT	PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE PATTERNS	
PHYSICIAN CHARACTERISTICS		MANPOWER
x	Physician Profile	
NT	ATTITUDE OF HEALTH PERSONNEL	
	INTERPROFESSIONAL RELATIONS	
	PHYSICIAN INCOME	
	PHYSICIAN PERFORMANCE	
	PROFESSIONAL-PATIENT RELATIONS	
	PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE	
	PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE PATTERNS	

PHYSICIAN DISTRIBUTION — MANPOWER
BT PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE PATTERNS

Physician Efficiency use PHYSICIAN PERFORMANCE

PHYSICIAN INCOME — MANPOWER; FINANCE, ECONOMICS
x Wage Rates
BT PHYSICIAN CHARACTERISTICS

Physician Liability use LIABILITY

Physician Opinion use ATTITUDE OF HEALTH PERSONNEL

Physician Opinion - PSRO use PSRO, ATTITUDES

Physician Opposition - PSRO use PSRO, OPPOSITION

Physician Participation - PSRO use PSRO, PHYSICIAN PARTICIPATION

PHYSICIAN-PATIENT RELATIONS — F1.99.18.1; N4.44.52.1
x Doctor-Patient Relations — MANPOWER
BT PROFESSIONAL-PATIENT RELATIONS

PHYSICIAN-PATIENTS — MANPOWER
BT NAMED GROUPS OF PERSONS

PHYSICIAN PERFORMANCE — MANPOWER
x Physician Efficiency
Technical Competence
BT PHYSICIAN CHARACTERISTICS
NT CLINICAL COMPETENCE
SELF EVALUATION
RT TASK PERFORMANCE AND ANALYSIS

Physician Practice Patterns use PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE PATTERNS

Physician Profile use PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE PATTERNS or PHYSICIAN CHARACTERISTICS

Physician Reimbursement use REIMBURSEMENT

Physician Resistance - PSRO use PSRO, OPPOSITION

Physician Services use SPECIALTIES, MEDICAL and/or PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE

Physician Utilization use UTILIZATION, MANPOWER

PHYSICIAN VISITS — HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
x Private Physician Visits
BT DELIVERY OF HEALTH CARE

PHYSICIANS x Minority Physicians BT NAMED GROUPS OF PERSONS	M.85.; N2.36.45 MANPOWER
PHYSICIANS' ASSISTANTS BT ALLIED HEALTH PERSONNEL	M.5.39; N2.36.4.1 MANPOWER
Physicians' Office Laboratories <u>use</u> PHYSICIANS' OFFICES and LABORATORIES	
PHYSICIANS' OFFICES x Office Practice Physicians' Office Laboratories BT PRIVATE PRACTICE	MANPOWER
Physicians, Shortage <u>use</u> PHYSICIAN AVAILABILITY	
PL 92-603 BT LAWS, NAMES	HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT; LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS Note: Limited to articles that discuss actual provisions of PL 92-603 (not to be used if this term is just mentioned)
PL 93-222 (HMO Act) BT LAWS, NAMES	LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS
PL 93-641 (National Health Planning and Resources Development Act of 1974) BT LAWS, NAMES NT CON	LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS
PL 95-142 BT LAWS, NAMES	LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS
PLANNING x Forecasting National Health Planning Regional Health Planning NT COMMUNITY NEED ASSESSMENT COMPREHENSIVE HEALTH PLANNING HEALTH AND WELFARE PLANNING HOSPITAL DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION HOSPITAL PLANNING COMMITTEES PLANNING AGENCIES	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
PLANNING AGENCIES BT PLANNING	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
Planning Budget <u>use</u> BUDGET	
PLANNING COSTS BT ECONOMICS, MEDICAL	FINANCE, ECONOMICS

Planning, Health Services use HEALTH AND WELFARE PLANNING

POLICY	SOCIAL PHENOMENA
Policy on PSRO use PSRO, POSITION PAPER	
Policy Statement use POSITION PAPER	
POLITICS	I.75 SOCIAL PHENOMENA
POMR x Medical Records, Problem Oriented Problem Oriented Medical Records BT MEDICAL RECORDS RT PROBLEM ORIENTED APPROACH	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES; DATA PROCESSING
POPULATION CHARACTERISTISC x Demographic Characteristics Population Rates NT HANDICAPPED HEALTH STATUS	N1. STATISTICS, DEMOGRAPHY
Population Medicine use EPIDEMIOLOGY	
Population Rates use POPULATION CHARACTERISTICS	
POSITION PAPER x Policy Policy Statement BT DOCUMENT FORM/TYPE	TAGS
Postgraduate Training use EDUCATION, CONTINUING	
POVERTY x Urban Poor BT SOCIOECONOMIC FACTORS	I.91.47.1; I.91.57.1; N1.96.16.1 STATISTICS, DEMOGRAPHY
PRACTICE MANAGEMENT, MEDICAL x Business Management BT ORGANIZATION AND ADMINISTRATION	N4.66.36.1 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
PRE-ADMISSION CERTIFICATION x Admission Certification Eligibility Determination Hospital Eligibility Determination BT HOSPITAL ADMISSIONS	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
Prepaid Group Practice use GROUP PRACTICE, PRE-PAID	
Prepaid Health Care Plans use INSURANCE, HEALTH and PREPAYMENT	

Prepaid Health Organizations use GROUP PRACTICE, PREPAID

Prepaid Medical Insurance use INSURANCE, HEALTH and PREPAYMENT

Prepaid Medicine use PREPAYMENT

PREPAYMENT — FINANCE, ECONOMICS
- x Capitation
- Prepaid Health Care Plans
- Prepaid Medical Insurance
- Prepaid Medicine
- BT FINANCING MECHANISMS

Prescription Drug Use use UTILIZATION, DRUG

PRESCRIPTIONS — E5.81.21 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
- BT DRUGS

PREVENTIVE HEALTH SERVICES — N2.39.5.1; N2.39.45 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
- x Accident Prevention
- Health Maintenance
- Preventive Medicine
- NT DIAGNOSTIC SERVICES
- HEALTH EDUCATION
- IMMUNIZATION
- MASS SCREENING
- MOBILE HEALTH UNITS
- MULTIPHASIC SCREENING
- PHYSICAL EXAMINATION

Preventive Medicine use PREVENTIVE HEALTH SERVICES

PRICING POLICY — FINANCE, ECONOMICS
- BT ECONOMICS, MEDICAL

Primary Care use PRIMARY HEALTH CARE

Primary Care Centers use PRIMARY HEALTH CARE

PRIMARY HEALTH CARE — N4.44.26.1 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
- x Primary Care
- Primary Care Centers
- BT DELIVERY OF HEALTH CARE

Privacy use CONFIDENTIALITY

PRIVACY ACT — LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS
- BT LAWS, NAMES

Private Dental Visits use DENTAL VISITS

Private Physician Visits use PHYSICIAN VISITS

PRIVATE PRACTICE — N4.66.51
- x Office Practice — MANPOWER
- BT PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE
- NT PHYSICIANS' OFFICES

PRIVATE REVIEW
- BT PEER REVIEW — HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT

Privilege Absolute use PSRO, JURISPRUDENCE

Privilege Qualified use PSRO, JURISPRUDENCE

PROBLEM ORIENTED APPROACH — HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT
- BT EVALUATION METHODOLOGIES
- RT POMR

Problem Oriented Medical Records use POMR

Procedures use METHODS

PROCEEDINGS — TAGS
- x Conference Proceedings — Note: Refers to type of document
- BT DOCUMENT FORM/TYPE

PROCESS APPROACH — HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT
- BT EVALUATION METHODOLOGIES

PRODUCTIVITY — FINANCE, ECONOMICS
- BT ECONOMICS, MEDICAL
- RT COST CONTROL
- TASK PERFORMANCE AND ANALYSIS

Professional Attitudes use ATTITUDE OF HEALTH PERSONNEL

PROFESSIONAL-PATIENT RELATIONS — F1.99.18.1; N4.44.52
- x Interpersonal Relationships — MANPOWER
- BT PHYSICIAN CHARACTERISTICS
- NT DENTIST-PATIENT RELATIONS
- ETHICS
- ETHICS, MEDICAL
- NURSE-PATIENT RELATIONS
- PHYSICIAN-PATIENT RELATIONS

PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE — N4.22.50; N4.66
- x Physician Services — MANPOWER
- BT PHYSICIAN CHARACTERISTICS
- NT FAMILY PRACTICE
- GROUP PRACTICE
- GROUP PRACTICE, PRE-PAID
- INSTITUTIONAL PRACTICE
- PRIVATE PRACTICE
- PUBLIC SERVICE
- REFERRAL AND CONSULTATION

PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE (continued)

SPECIALTIES, DENTAL
SPECIALTIES, MEDICAL
SPECIALTIES, NURSING

PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE PATTERNS — MANPOWER
x Physician Practice Patterns
Physician Profile
BT PHYSICIAN CHARACTERISTICS
NT MEDICAL RESOURCE FACTORS
PHYSICIAN AVAILABILITY
PHYSICIAN DISTRIBUTION
PROFESSIONAL-USER TIME
SPECIALTY DISTRIBUTION

PROFESSIONAL STAFF COMMITTEES — N4.66.54 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
x Drug Review Committees
Hospital Committees
Hospital Staff Committees
NT INFECTIONS COMMITTEE
PEER REVIEW COMMITTEES
PHARMACY AND THERAPEUTICS COMMITTEE
RT UTILIZATION REVIEW

PROFESSIONAL-USER TIME — MANPOWER
x Patient Service Time
Time-Motion-Place Study
BT PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE PATTERNS

Proficiency Examinations use EXAMS

PROFILE ANALYSIS
BT STATISTICAL ANALYSIS — HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT DATA PROCESSING

Profiles use PATIENT PROFILES

Prognosis use PATIENT NEED ASSESSMENT

PROGRAM EVALUATION — FINANCE, ECONOMICS
BT GOVERNMENT PROGRAMS — Note: Use with the name of a specific program

PROGRAM RESULTS — TAGS
BT NON-CONCEPTUAL CONTENTS

Programming, Computer use COMPUTER PROGRAMMING

Progressive Patient Care use COMPREHENSIVE HEALTH CARE

Proprietary Hospitals use HOSPITALS, PROPRIETARY

PROTOCOLS — TAGS
BT NON-CONCEPTUAL CONTENTS

Providers <u>use</u> HEALTH CARE PROVIDER

PROXIMATE CAUSE BT JURISPRUDENCE	LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS Note: Court attempts to assess the nature of relationship between what the doctor did or did not do and the unpleasant outcome that the patient incurred, recognizing the lack of an absolute causal link
PSRO BT PEER REVIEW NT CONSUMER PARTICIPATION LIABILITY EXEMPTION PSRO, ALTERNATIVES PSRO, ARCHIVES PSRO, ATTITUDES PSRO, CONTRACT MANAGEMENT PSRO, GRANTS MANAGEMENT PSRO, HISTORY PSRO, IMPLEMENTATION PSRO, IMPLICATIONS PSRO, INTENT PSRO, LEGISLATION	N4.88.35 HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT
PSRO, ALTERNATIVES BT PSRO	HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT
PSRO, ARCHIVES BT PSRO DOCUMENT FORM/TYPE	HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT; TAGS
PSRO, AREAS x Area Designation Geographic Regions BT PSRO, IMPLEMENTATION	HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT
PSRO, ATTITUDES x Attitudes to PSRO Physician Opinion - PSRO BT PSRO NT PSRO, OPPOSITION PSRO, POSITION PAPER	HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT

PSRO Compliance <u>use</u> PSRO, IMPLEMENTATION

PSRO, CONTRACT MANAGEMENT BT PSRO	HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT
PSRO, COSTS BT COSTS AND COST ANALYSIS BT PSRO, IMPLEMENTATION	 FINANCE, ECONOMICS HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT

PSRO, GRANTS MANAGEMENT — HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT
BT PSRO

PSRO, GUIDELINES — HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT
BT PSRO, IMPLEMENTATION

PSRO, HISTORY — HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT
BT PSRO
NT PSRO, PROTOTYPES

PSRO, IMPLEMENTATION — HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT
x Implementation - PSRO
PSRO Compliance
BT PSRO
NT PSRO, AREAS
PSRO, COSTS
PSRO, GUIDELINES
PSRO, LOCAL REVIEW ORGANIZATIONS
PSRO, OPERATIONAL
PSRO, ORGANIZATION AND ADMINISTRATION
PSRO, PERSONNEL
PSRO, PHYSICIAN PARTICIPATION
PSRO, STATEWIDE SUPPORT CENTERS

PSRO, IMPLICATIONS — HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT
BT PSRO

PSRO, INTENT — HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT
BT PSRO

PSRO, Jurisprudence use PSRO and JURISPRUDENCE
x Privilege Absolute
Privilege Qualified
Note: Use PSRO, JURISPRUDENCE for search only

PSRO, LEGISLATION — HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT; LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS
BT PSRO
NT PL 92-603

PSRO, LOCAL REVIEW ORGANIZATIONS — HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT
x Local Review Organizations (PSRO)
Review Boards
BT PSRO, IMPLEMENTATION

PSRO, OPERATIONAL — HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT
BT PSRO, IMPLEMENTATION

PSRO, OPERATIONS — HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT

PSRO, OPPOSITION — HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT
x Anti-PSRO Materials
Legislative Repeal (PSRO)
Physician Opposition - PSRO
Physician Resistance - PSRO
BT PSRO, ATTITUDES

PSRO, ORGANIZATION AND ADMINISTRATION — HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT
BT PSRO, IMPLEMENTATION

PSRO, Physician Involvement use PSRO, PHYSICIAN PARTICIPATION

PSRO, PHYSICIAN PARTICIPATION — HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT
x Physician Participation - PSRO
PSRO, Physician Involvement
BT PSRO, IMPLEMENTATION

PSRO, POSITION PAPER — HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT
x Policy on PSRO
BT PSRO, ATTITUDES

PSRO, PROTOTYPES — HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT
BT PSRO, HISTORY

PSRO, STATEWIDE SUPPORT CENTERS — HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT
x Statewide Support Centers
BT PSRO, IMPLEMENTATION

PSYCHIATRIC AIDES — M.5.25.1; N2.36.4.1
BT ALLIED HEALTH PERSONNEL — MANPOWER

Psychiatric Hospitals use HOSPITALS, PSYCHIATRIC

PSYCHOLOGICAL FACTORS — STATISTICS, DEMOGRAPHY
x Social-Psychological Factors
Socio-Psychological Approach

Public Aid use PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE — N3.26.11.1
x Public Aid — FINANCE, ECONOMICS
Welfare
Welfare Recipients
BT FINANCING, GOVERNMENT

PUBLIC HEALTH — G2.91.49.1; G3.91
NT HEALTH DEPARTMENTS — HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES

PUBLIC INTEREST — SOCIAL PHENOMENA

PUBLIC RELATIONS — N4.22.56
BT ORGANIZATION AND ADMINISTRATION — HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES

PUBLIC SERVICE — MANPOWER
BT PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE

Quackery use LEVEL OF CARE

QUALITY ASSURANCE x Quality Health Assurance	HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT
QUALITY CONTROL x Drug Quality Drug Safety Quality Control Programs Quality Standards	J.93.24 HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT
Quality Control Programs <u>use</u> QUALITY CONTROL	
Quality Health Assurance <u>use</u> QUALITY ASSURANCE	
QUALITY REVIEW COSTS BT COSTS AND COSTS ANALYSIS	FINANCE, ECONOMICS
Quality Standards <u>use</u> QUALITY CONTROL and STANDARDS	
Quasi-Care <u>use</u> LEVEL OF CARE	
Race <u>use</u> RACIAL STOCKS	
RACIAL STOCKS x Color Race	I.9.48; I.80 STATISTICS, DEMOGRAPHY
Radio Communication <u>use</u> RADIO	
RADIO x Radio Communication BT AUDIO-VISUAL AIDS	L.12.36 DATA PROCESSING
RADIOLOGY BT ANCILLARY SERVICES	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
Randomization <u>use</u> SAMPLING STUDIES	
Rapid Retrieval Systems <u>use</u> INFORMATION SYSTEMS	
Rating Scale <u>use</u> MEASURES	HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT Note: Formula for evaluating a service or determining the status of a patient using present values (often numerical) for items in the evaluation. Use RATING SCALE for search only
Reasonable Care <u>use</u> NEGLIGENCE	
RECERTIFICATION BT CERTIFICATION	MANPOWER; LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS

RECIPIENTS OF HEALTH CARE		HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
NT	CONSUMERS	
	PATIENTS	
Record Quality <u>use</u> RECORDS		
RECORDS		N4.22.60
x	Record Quality	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES; DATA PROCESSING
BT	HEALTH SERVICES ADMINISTRATION	
NT	DENTAL RECORDS	
	MEDICAL RECORDS	
	NURSING RECORDS	
	PATIENT PROFILES	
	REGISTRIES	
RECOVERY ROOMS		HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
BT	HOSPITAL UNITS	
RT	INTENSIVE CARE UNITS	
REFERENCES		TAGS
BT	NON-CONCEPTUAL CONTENTS	
REFERRAL AND CONSULTATION		N4.66.60 MANPOWER
x	Referrals	
	Transfer Service	
BT	PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE	
NT	SECOND OPINION	
Referrals <u>use</u> REFERRAL AND CONSULTATION		
Regional Health Planning <u>use</u> REGIONAL SYSTEMS and PLANNING or HEALTH AND WELFARE PLANNING		
REGIONAL MEDICAL PROGRAMS		N3.39.54
BT	HEALTH CARE DELIVERY SYSTEMS	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES Note: Refers to the specific government-sponsored Regional Medical Programs
REGIONAL SYSTEMS		HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
x	Areawide Planning	
	Regional Health Planning	
BT	HEALTH CARE DELIVERY SYSTEMS	
REGISTRIES		N4.22.60.1
x	National Registry	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES; DATA PROCESSING
BT	RECORDS	

Regression Analysis use STATISTICAL ANALYSIS

REHABILITATION BT DELIVERY OF HEALTH CARE RT HANDICAPPED	E2.84; G2.87; G2.91.46.1; N2.39.50 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
REIMBURSEMENT x Compensation Physician Reimbursement BT FINANCING MECHANISMS NT THIRD PARTY PAYMENT	FINANCE, ECONOMICS
RELIABILITY x Confidence	HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT Note: Accuracy of judgment of the quality of health care based on the approach used
RELICENSURE BT LICENSURE	MANPOWER; LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS

Reporting Systems use INFORMATION SYSTEMS

RESEARCH x Biomedical Research Medical Care Research NT CLINICAL RESEARCH HEALTH SERVICES RESEARCH	H.88.26 DATA PROCESSING

Research Funding use RESEARCH SUPPORT

RESEARCH SUPPORT x Research Funding BT FINANCING MECHANISMS	H.88.39; N3.13.60.1 FINANCE, ECONOMICS
RESIDENCE CHARACTERISTICS x Residential Characteristics NT GEOGRAPHIC DISTRIBUTION RURAL POPULATION URBAN POPULATION	N1.84 STATISTICS, DEMOGRAPHY

Residence Training Program use INTERNSHIP AND RESIDENCY

Residential Characteristics use RESIDENCE CHARACTERISTICS

Residents use INTERNSHIP AND RESIDENCY

Resource Scheduling use HEALTH RESOURCE FACTORS

Resource Utilization use HEALTH RESOURCE FACTORS

Resources, Medical use HEALTH RESOURCE FACTORS

Results of Care use OUTCOME APPROACH

RETROSPECTIVE REVIEW — HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT
BT PEER REVIEW

Review Boards use PSRO, LOCAL REVIEW ORGANIZATIONS or PEER REVIEW COMMITTEES

Review Liability Exemption use LIABILITY EXEMPTION

RIGHTS — LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS
RT APPEALS
CONSUMER SATISFACTION
JURISPRUDENCE
SANCTIONS

RISK MANAGEMENT — LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS

RURAL HEALTH SERVICES — HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
x Rural Medical Services
BT COMMUNITY HEALTH SERVICES

Rural Medical Services use RURAL HEALTH SERVICES

RURAL POPULATION — N1.84.39
BT RESIDENCE CHARACTERISTICS — STATISTICS, DEMOGRAPHY

SAFETY STANDARDS — LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS
x Patient Safety

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x Interviews — TAGS
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Randomization
BT HEALTH SURVEYS

SANCTIONS — LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS
BT LICENSURE
RT PHYSICIAN PERFORMANCE
CLINICAL COMPETENCE

Scheduling use APPOINTMENTS AND SCHEDULES

SCHOOLS — I.22.52; I.26.28
x Universities — MANPOWER
BT EDUCATION
NT SCHOOLS, DENTAL
SCHOOLS, MEDICAL

SCHOOLS, DENTAL — I.22.52.1
x Dental Schools — MANPOWER
BT SCHOOLS

SCHOOLS, MEDICAL x Community Based Medical Schools Medical Schools Osteopathic Colleges BT SCHOOLS	I.22.52.1 MANPOWER
Screening use MULTIPHASIC SCREENING or MASS SCREENING	
SECOND OPINION BT REFERRAL AND CONSULTATION	MANPOWER
SELF EVALUATION BT PHYSICIAN PERFORMANCE	HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT; MANPOWER
Sensitivity use DEMAND FOR SERVICES	
SERIAL SUBSCRIPTION BT DOCUMENT FORM/TYPE	TAGS Note: Refers to type of document
Sex use SEX FACTORS	
SEX FACTORS x Sex	N1.36.48 STATISTICS, DEMOGRAPHY
SHARED SERVICES BT COST CONTROL	FINANCE, ECONOMICS
Short Stay Hospitals use HOSPITALS, ACUTE CARE	
Short-term Hospitals use HOSPITALS, ACUTE CARE	
Simulation Model use MODELS, THEORETICAL	
Size (of Hospitals) use HEALTH FACILITY SIZE	
SNF (SKILLED NURSING FACILITY) BT EXTENDED CARE FACILITIES	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
Social Benefits use BENEFITS	
Social Conditions use SOCIOECONOMIC FACTORS	
SOCIAL PHENOMENA	SOCIAL PHENOMENA Note: Not a searchable term
Social-Psychological Factors use PSYCHOLOGICAL FACTORS	
Social Workers use COMMUNITY HEALTH AIDES	
Socialized Medicine use STATE MEDICINE	

SOCIETIES, DENTAL BT ORGANIZATIONS	N3.52.34 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
SOCIETIES, MEDICAL x Medical Societies BT ORGANIZATIONS	N3.52.39 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
Socio-Psychological Approach <u>use</u> PSYCHOLOGICAL FACTORS	
Sociocultural Approach <u>use</u> CULTURE	
Sociodemographic Approach <u>use</u> SOCIOECONOMIC FACTORS	
SOCIOECONOMIC FACTORS x Economic Status Social Conditions Sociodemographic Approach NT FAMILY CHARACTERISTICS INCOME POVERTY	I.91.57; N1.96 STATISTICS, DEMOGRAPHY
Software Evaluation <u>use</u> COMPUTER SOFTWARE EVALUATION	
Spatial Utilization <u>use</u> UTILIZATION, SPATIAL	
SPECIAL REPORT BT DOCUMENT FORM/TYPE	TAGS Note: Refers to type of document
Special Hospitals <u>use</u> HOSPITALS, SPECIAL	
Specialists <u>use</u> SPECIALTIES, MEDICAL or SPECIALTIES, DENTAL	
SPECIALTIES, DENTAL x Dental Specialties Specialists BT PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE	G2.8.54 MANPOWER
SPECIALTIES, MEDICAL x Medical Specialties Multispecialty Group Practice Physician Services Specialists Specialty Certification BT PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE	G2.36.57; G2.91 MANPOWER
SPECIALTIES, NURSING BT PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE	G2.48.56 MANPOWER

SPECIALTY BOARDS BT SOCIETIES, MEDICAL RT CERTIFICATION	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
Specialty Certification use CERTIFICATION and SPECIALTIES, MEDICAL	
SPECIALTY DISTRIBUTION BT PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE PATTERNS	MANPOWER Note: The distribution of physicians into various medical specialties
Staff Attitudes use ATTITUDE OF HEALTH PERSONNEL	
Staff Physicians use HOSPITAL MEDICAL STAFF	
STAFFING BT HEALTH SERVICES ADMINISTRATION NT ASSIGNMENT PATTERNS	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
STANDARDS x Construction Standards Hospital Standards Quality Standards BT NON-CONCEPTUAL CONTENTS	TAGS
STANDARDS, NORMS, CRITERIA	STANDARDS, NORMS CRITERIA Note: Use only as a category term
STANDARDS OF CARE x Hospital Standards Performance criteria BT DELIVERY OF HEALTH CARE RT JURISPRUDENCE	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES; LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS Note: Use when the development of standards is discussed, rather than the presentation of actual CARE CRITERIA; or use when standard of care is discussed in terms of court cases
STATE BT NON-CONCEPTUAL CONTENTS	TAGS Note: Use for state legislature or state society hearings and/or proceedings
State Boards of Medical Examiners use STATE REGULATION	

STATE GOVERNMENT BT GOVERNMENT	SOCIAL PHENOMENA
State Health Departments use HEALTH DEPARTMENTS	
State Legislatures use STATE REGULATION	
State Licensing Boards use LICENSING BOARDS and STATE REGULATION	
State Licensing Examinations use EXAMS and LICENSURE and STATE REGULATION	
State Licensure Laws use LICENSURE, LAWS and STATE REGULATION	
STATE MEDICINE x Socialized Medicine	N3.91 SOCIAL PHENOMENA
State Mental Hospitals use HOSPITALS, PSYCHIATRIC	
State-of-the-Art Paper use STATE-OF-THE-ART REVIEW	
STATE-OF-THE-ART REVIEW x Literature Review State-of-the-Art Paper BT DOCUMENT FORM/TYPE	TAGS Note: Refers to type of document
State Rate Regulation use STATE REGULATION	
STATE REGULATION x State Boards of Medical Examiners State Legislatures State Licensing Boards State Licensing Examinations State Licensure Laws State Rate Regulation	LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS
Statewide Support Centers use PSRO, STATEWIDE SUPPORT CENTERS	
STATISTICAL ANALYSIS x Regression Analysis NT PROFILE ANALYSIS	DATA PROCESSING
STATISTICAL TABLES BT NON-CONCEPTUAL CONTENTS	TAGS
STATISTICS, DEMOGRAPHY	STATISTICS, DEMOGRAPHY Note: Use only as a category term
STRUCTURE APPROACH x Organizational Approach BT APPROACHES TO EVALUATION	HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT
STUDENT HEALTH SERVICES x University Students	N2.39.60 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES

STUDENTS		I.22.56; I.26.37;
BT	EDUCATION	M.97.; N1.96.21.1
NT	STUDENTS, DENTAL	MANPOWER
	STUDENTS, MEDICAL	
STUDENTS, DENTAL		I.22.56.1; M.97.13.1
x	Dental Students	N2.36.51.1
BT	SCHOOLS	MANPOWER
STUDENTS, MEDICAL		I.22.56.1, M.97.13.1;
x	Medical Students	N2.36.51.1
	Students, Premedical	MANPOWER
BT	SCHOOLS	
Students, Premedical <u>use</u> STUDENTS, MEDICAL		
Supply and Demand <u>use</u> HEALTH RESOURCE FACTORS		
SURGERY, NECESSITY		HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT
Surgical Record Review <u>use</u> MEDICAL AUDIT		
Surgicenters <u>use</u> DAY SURGERY FACILITY		Note: The term <u>Surgicenter</u> is a registered trademark
Surveys and Survey Research <u>use</u> HEALTH SURVEYS		
SWING BEDS		HEALTH CARE FACILITIES
BT	HEALTH FACILITY SIZE	AND SERVICES
SYSTEMS ANALYSIS		L.96.;
RT	OPERATIONS RESEARCH	DATA PROCESSING
Systems Model <u>use</u> MODELS, THEORETICAL		
TAGS		TAGS Note: Not a searchable term
Task Analysis <u>use</u> TASK PERFORMANCE AND ANALYSIS		
TASK PERFORMANCE AND ANALYSIS		F1.70.50; F1.95.16.1;
x	Clinical Performance	F1.95.40.1; J.32.32.1
	Performance Observation	MANPOWER
	Task Analysis	
	Time-Motion-Place Study	
RT	PHYSICIAN PERFORMANCE	
TAXES		FINANCE, ECONOMICS
BT	FINANCING MECHANISMS	
Taxonomy <u>use</u> CLASSIFICATION		
Teaching Hospitals <u>use</u> HOSPITALS, TEACHING		

Teams use PATIENT CARE TEAM

Technical Competence use PHYSICIAN PERFORMANCE

TECHNOLOGY	J.93. SOCIAL PHENOMENA
TELEVISION BT AUDIO-VISUAL AIDS	L.12.54 DATA PROCESSING

Terminology use NOMENCLATURE

Tests use EXAMS

THERAPEUTIC AUDIT RT PHARMACY AND THERAPEUTICS COMMITTEE	HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT
THERAPEUTIC EQUIVALENCY x Generic Equivalence BT DRUGS	G1.86.3.1 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES

Third Parties use THIRD PARTY PAYMENT

THIRD PARTY PAYMENT x Fiscal Intermediary Third Parties	FINANCE, ECONOMICS

Time-Motion-Place Study use PROFESSIONAL-USER TIME and/or TASK PERFORMANCE AND ANALYSIS

Tort Law use JURISPRUDENCE

TRACER METHODOLOGY BT APPROACHES TO EVALUATION	HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT

Transfer Service use REFERRAL AND CONSULTATION

TRANSFER TRAUMA BT DELIVERY OF HEALTH CARE	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
TRAINING PROGRAMS x Workshops BT EDUCATION	MANPOWER
TRANSPORT OF WOUNDED AND SICK x Helicopter Rescue BT EMERGENCY HEALTH SERVICES	E5.101; N2.39.20.1 HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
TREATMENT BT DELIVERY OF HEALTH CARE	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES Note: Do not use for specific patterns of treatment. Use only when treatment is described in general, as a concept.

Treatment Effectiveness use DRUG EVALUATION

Triage use PATIENT NEED ASSESSMENT

TRUSTEES x Hospital Trustees BT NAMED GROUPS OF PERSONS RT GOVERNING BOARD	MANPOWER
UHDDS BT DATA BASE	DATA PROCESSING

Underutilization use UTILIZATION

Universities use SCHOOLS

University Hospitals use HOSPITALS, TEACHING

University Students use STUDENT HEALTH SERVICES

URBAN HEALTH SERVICES BT COMMUNITY HEALTH SERVICES	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES

Urban Hospitals use HOSPITALS, URBAN

Urban Poor use URBAN POPULATION and POVERTY

URBAN POPULATION x Urban Poor Urbanization BT RESIDENCE CHARACTERISTICS	N1.84.52 STATISTICS, DEMOGRAPHY

Urbanization use URBAN POPULATION

UTILIZATION x Medical Care Utilization Overutilization Resource Utilization Underutilization NT UTILIZATION, DRUG UTILIZATION, HEALTH FACILITY UTILIZATION, LABORATORY UTILIZATION, MANPOWER UTILIZATION, SPATIAL	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES Note: Use a more specific type of utilization if at all possible (i.e., UTILIZATION, HEALTH FACILITY or UTILIZATION, MANPOWER)
UTILIZATION, DRUG x Drug Review Committees Drug Use Drug Utilization Prescription Drug Use BT DRUGS UTILIZATION	HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES

UTILIZATION, HEALTH FACILITY — HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
- x Efficiency Rate
- Emergency Room Utilization
- Health Facility Utilization
- Health Services Utilization
- Hospital Admission Rates
- Hospital Beds, Utilization
- Hospital Clinic Visits
- Hospital Utilization
- Inpatient Utilization
- Utilization, Health Services
- BT UTILIZATION

Utilization, Health Services use UTILIZATION, HEALTH FACILITY

UTILIZATION, LABORATORY — HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
- x Laboratory Utilization
- BT UTILIZATION

UTILIZATION, MANPOWER — MANPOWER; HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
- x Manpower Utilization
- Pnysician Utilization
- BT UTILIZATION

UTILIZATION REVIEW — N4.88.48 HEALTH CARE ASSESSMENT
- x Drug Utilization Review
- RT PROFESSIONAL STAFF COMMITTEES

UTILIZATION, SPATIAL — HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND SERVICES
- x Spatial Utilization
- BT UTILIZATION

Veterans Administration Hospitals use HOSPITALS, VETERANS

Veterans Hospitals use HOSPITALS, VETERANS

VITAL STATISTICS — N1.36.56 STATISTICS, DEMOGRAPHY
- NT LIFE EXPECTANCY
- MORBIDITY
- MORTALITY

Voluntary Health Insurance use INSURANCE, HEALTH

Voluntary Non-Profit Hospitals use HOSPITALS, NON PROFIT

Wage and Price Controls use COST CONTROL

Wage Rates use PHYSICIAN INCOME

WAGES AND SALARIES — FINANCE, ECONOMICS
- BT INSTITUTIONAL ECONOMICS

WEIGHTS AND MEASURES H.104
x Measuring Units SOCIAL PHENOMENA

Welfare use PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

Welfare Recipients use PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

Worksheets use FORMS

Workshops use TRAINING PROGRAMS

YOUNG ADULT STATISTICS, DEMOGRAPHY
BT AGE FACTORS

ACRONYM AUTHORITY LIST

AACP	American Association of Colleges of Pharmacy
AAFMC	American Association of Foundations for Medical Care Corporation
AAFP	American Academy of Family Physicians
AAHD	American Association of Hospital Dentists
AAMC	Association of American Medical Colleges
AAP	American Academy of Pediatrics
AAPS	American Association of Physicians and Surgeons
AAPSRO	American Association of Professional Standards Review Organizations
AART	American Association for Respiratory Therapy
AATS	American Association for Thoracic Surgery
ABS	American Board of Surgery
ACCESS	Ambulatory Care Clinic Effectiveness
ACCP	American College of Chest Physicians
ACEP	American College of Emergency Physicians
ACMS	American Council of Medical Staffs
ACP	American College of Physicians
ACPE	American Council of Pharmaceutical Education
ACS	American Cancer Society
ACS	American College of Surgeons
ADA	American Dental Association
ADA	American Diabetes Association

ADA	American Dietetic Association
ADL	Activities for Daily Living
AFDC	Aid to Families with Dependent Children
AGPA	American Group Practice Association
AHA	American Heart Association
AHA	American Hospital Association
AIP	Annual Implementation Plan
AMA	American Medical Association
AMH	Automated Medical History
AMHT	Automated Multi-Phasic Health Testing
AMOS	Automated Military Outpatient System
AMRA	American Medical Record Association
ANA	American Nurses Association
ANHA	American Nursing Home Association
ANRC	American National Red Cross
AOA	American Osteopathic Association
AOHA	American Osteopathic Hospital Association
AORN	Association of Operating Room Nurses
APA	American Podiatry Association
APA	American Psychiatric Association
APA	American Psychological Association
APhA	American Pharmaceutical Association
APHA	American Public Health Association
ASH	Assistant Secretary for Health
ASHP	American Society of Hospital Pharmacists

ASIM	American Society of Internal Medicine
ASPERF	Assessment of Performance Research
ATA	American Thoracic Association
AUA	American Urological Association
AUPHA	Association of University Programs in Health Administration
BCA	Blue Cross Association
BD	Bureau of Drugs (Food & Drug Administration)
BCDS	Blue Cross Data Service
BCDSP	Boston Collaborative Drug Surveillance Program
BHI	Bureau of Health Insurance
BHME	Bureau of Health Manpower Education
BNDD	Bureau of Narcotics and Dangerous Drugs
BQA	Bureau of Quality Assurance
BUN	Blood Urea Nitrogen
CACS	Connecticut Ambulatory Care Study
CAIRS	Computer Assisted Interns and Residents Scheduling Systems
CAP	College of American Pathologists
CAP	Colorado Admissions Program
CAPS	Community Adjustment Profile System
CARE	Clinical Assessment Research and Education System
CARF	Commission on Accreditation of Rehabilitation Facilities
CAT	Computerized Axial Tomography
CCC	Comprehensive Cancer Centers
CCMC	Committee on the Costs of Medical Care

CCU	Cardiac Care Unit, Coronary Care Unit
CDC	Center for Disease Control
CDE	Continuing Dental Education
CFMC	Colorado Foundation for Medical Care
CHA	Community Health Association
CHA	Comprehensive Health Auditing
CHAMP	Certified Hospital Admissions Monitoring Program
CHAMPUS	Civilian Health and Medical Program of the Uniformed Services
CHAP	Certified Hospital Admission Program
CHDAS	Conference on Hospital Discharge Abstract Systems
CHDC	California Health Data Corporation
CHI	Catastrophic Health Insurance (Plan)
CHIP	Comprehensive Health Insurance Plan
CHP	Community Health Programs
CHP	Comprehensive Health Planning
CLIA	Clinical Laboratories Improvement Act
CMA	Canadian Medical Association
CMA-CHA	California Medical Association - California Hospital Association
CME	Continuing Medical Education
CMHC	Community Mental Health Center
CMS	Council of Medical Staffs
CMU	Coordinated Medical Utilization
CNHI	Comprehensive National Health Insurance (Plan)
COLC	Cost of Living Council
CON	Certification of Need

CONSERVE	Concurrent On-Site Evaluation and Review Effort
COTH	Council of Teaching Hospitals
COTPPP	Committee of Third Party Payment Plans-AAP
COTRANS	Coordinated Transfer Application System
CPHA	American College of Surgeons Commission on Professional and Hospital Activities
CPR	Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation
CPT	Current Procedural Terminology
CRT	Cathode-Ray Tube
CUPIS	Connecticut Utilization and Patient Information System
CVA	Cerebrovascular Accident
DAU	Dental Auxiliary Utilization
DEA	Drug Enforcement Agency
DMI	Division of Manpower Intelligence - HRA
DUR	Drug Utilization Review
EARS	Evaluation of Alternative Review Systems
ECC	Emergency Care, Cardiac
ECF	Extended Care Facilities
ECFMG	Educational Council for Foreign Medical Graduates
ECS	Emergency Care System
ECU	Extended Care Unit
EHP	Environmental Health Planning
EHSDS	Experimental Health Services Delivery Systems
EKG/ECG	Electrocardiogram
EMCRO	Experimental Medical Care Review Organization

EMS	Emergency Medical Services
EMSS	Emergency Medical Services Systems Act
EPSDT	Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnosis and Treatment
ESRD	End Stage Renal Disease
FDA	Food and Drug Administration, HEW
FEHBP	Federal Employees Health Benefits Program
FIGS	Functional Information Generative System
FLEX	Federation Licensing Examination
FMC	Foundation for Medical Care
FMGs	Foreign Medical Graduates
GAP	Goals and Priorities National Board of Medical Examiners
GHAA	Group Health Association of America
GHI	Group Health Insurance Plan
HAPP	Hospital Admissions Pre-Certification Program
HAS	Hospital Administrative Services
HASP	Hospital Admission and Surveillance Program
HCF	Health Care Foundation
HCFA	Health Care Financing Administration
HCPOTP	Health Care Practitioners Other Than Physicians
HCV	Health Care Visit
HEW	U.S. Department of Health, Education, and Welfare
HIAA	Health Insurance Association of America

HIBAC	Health Insurance Benefits Advisory Council
HIC	Health Insurance Council
H-ICDA	Hospital Adaption of International Classification of Diseases
HICES	Health Inventory and Care Evaluation System
HIP	Health Insurance Plan of New York
HIP	Hospital Improvement Program (Grants)
HIS	Health Interview Survey
HMO/HMOs	Health Maintenance Organizations
HRA	Health Resources Administration
HSA	Health Services Administration
HSA	Health Systems Agency
HSD	Hospital Staff Development (Grants)
HSMHA	Health Services and Mental Health Administration
HSP	Health System Plan
HSQB	Health Standards and Quality Bureau
HUP	Hospital Utilization Project
ICCU	Intensive Coronary Care Units
ICDA	International Classification of Diseases Adapted for Use
ICF	Intermediate Care Facilities
ICHPPC	International Classification of Health Problems in Primary Care
IDS	Institutional Differences Study
IFMC	Illinois Foundation for Medical Care
IMU	Index of Medical Underservice
IPA	Independent Practice Association
IPP	Individual Physicians Profile
IPP	Individual Practice Plan

IPS	Institute of Professional Standards
IPSRO	Illinois Professional Standards Review Organization
JCAH	Joint Commission on Accreditation of Hospitals
JCAH-KAC	Joint Commission on Accreditation of Hospitals - Kidney Advisory Committee
LOS	Length of Stay
MAC	Maximum Allowable Cost
MACHPA	Mid-America Comprehensive Health Planning Agency
MAHS	Maine Associated Hospital Service
MAI	Medical Advances Institute (Ohio State Medical Society)
MAP	Medical Audit Program
MCE(S)	Medical Care Evaluation (Study)
MCF	Medical Care Foundation
MDA	Medical Data Analyst
MEDLARS	Medical Literature and Analysis Retrieval System
MFMC	Multnomah Foundation for Medical Care
MGMA	Medical Group Management Association
MI	Myocardial Infarction
MIC	Maternal and Infant Care (Projects)
MICU	Mobile Intensive Care Unit
MIIS	Medical Interpretive Information System
MIPS	Medical Information Processing Services
MIS	Management Information System

MIS	Medical Information Systems
MMIS	Medicaid Management Information System
MOU	Memorandum of Understanding
MRB	Medical Review Board
MRFIT	Mutiple Risk Factor Intervention Trial
MRP	Medical Reform Program
MSER	Mental Status Examination Record
MSIS	Multi-State Information System
NAHMO	National Association of Health Maintenance Organizations
NAMCC	National Association of Medical Care Coordinators
NAMCS	National Association of Medical Care Coordinators
NAMCS	National Ambulatory Care Survey
NARC	National Association for Retarded Citizens (formerly Children)
NARD	National Association of Retail Druggists
NASW	National Association of Social Workers
NAURC	National Association of Utilization Review Coordinators
NBME	National Board of Medical Examiners
NCHS	National Center for Health Statistics
NCHSR	National Center for Health Services Research
NCI	National Cancer Institute
NDA	National Dental Association
NDA	New Drug Application
NDTI	National Disease and Therapeutic Index

NHC	Neighborhood Health Centers
NHDS	National Hospital Discharge Survey
NHI	National Health Insurance
NHLI	National Heart and Lung Institute
NHP	Neighborhood Health Program
NHP	New Health Practitioners
NHS	National Health Survey
NIH	National Institutes of Health
NIOSH	National Institute of Occupational Safety and Health
NMA	National Medical Association
NPSRC	National Professional Standards Review Council
OAA	Old Age Assistance
OAA	Older Americans Act
OARS	Older Americans Resources and Services
OCD	Office of Child Development
OEO	Office of Economic Opportunity
OPD	Outpatient Department
OPSRO	Office of Professional Standards Review Organizations
OQS	Office of Quality Standards
OSCHUR	On-Site Concurrent Hospital Utilization Review
OSHA	Occupational Safety and Health Administration
OTA	Office of Technology Assessment
OTC	Over-the-Counter (Drugs)
OURS	Oklahoma Utilization Review System
PA	Physician Assistant

PACE	Patient Appraisal Care Planning and Evaluation
PACE	Physicians Ambulatory Care Evaluation Program
PAIS	Patient Activity Information System
PAS	Professional Activity Study
PAS-MAP	Professional Activity Study Medical Audit Program
PBR	Patient's Bill of Rights
PCA	Patient Care Appraisal
PCE	Patient Care Evaluation
PCCU	Post Coronary Care Unit
PDR	Physicians' Desk Reference
PDUR	Pre-Discharge Utilization Review
PE	Physician Extenders
PEMS	Patient Evaluation & Management System
PEP	Performance Evaluation Procedure for Auditing and Improving Patient Care (JCAH)
PGP	Prepaid Group Practice
PHCC	Prehospital Coronary Care
PHDDS	PSRO Hospital Discharge Data Set
PHP	Prepaid Health Plans
PHS	Public Health Services
PIPSRO	Private Initiative in PSRO
PIQUA	Private Initiative in Quality Assurance
PMA	Pharmaceutical Manufacturers Association
PMIS	PSRO Management Information System

PMR	Periodic Medical Review
POMR	Problem Oriented Medical Records
POSC	Problem Oriented System of Charting
PPC	Progressive Patient Care
PPE	Programmed Physical Examination
PPGP	Prepaid Group Practice
PPI	Physician-Performance Index
PPI	Patient Package Insert
PROCAP	Professional Competence Assurance Program (San Francisco School of Medicine)
PROMIS	Problem Oriented Medical Information
PSI	Patient Status Instrument
PSRO	Professional Standards Review Organization
PUR	Plan Utilization Review
QAP	Quality Assurance Program
QAS	Quality Assurance Service
QES	Quality Evaluation System
QRC	Quality Review Center-JCAH
QUEST	Quality, Utilization, Effectiveness Statistically Tabulated
RCGP	Royal College of General Practitioners
RCPS	Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons
RIPSRO	Rhode Island Professional Standards Review Organization
RMP	Regional Medical Programs
SAMS	Society for Advanced Medical Systems
SCAG	Sandoz Clinical Assessment, Geriatric
SCALE	Systems for Control and Analysis of Levels of Effectiveness

SCPMG	Southern California Permanente Medical Group
SCU	Special Care Units
SESAP	Self-Assessment Program
SHCC	Statewide Health Coordinating Council
SHPDA	State Health Planning and Development Agency
SJFMC	San Joaquin Foundation for Medical Care
SNF	Skilled Nursing Facility
SOAP	Subjective Data, Objective Data, Assessment, and Plans
SOR	Source Oriented Record
SOSSUS	Study on Surgical Services for the United States
SPSRC	Statewide Professional Standards Review Council
SRS	Social and Rehabilitation Service
SSA	Social Security Administration
TAP	Trustee-Administrator-Physician
TEAM	Training in Expanded Auxiliary Management
UB	Uniform Billing
UCHCIS	Urban Comprehensive Health Care Information System
UHDA	Uniform Hospital Discharge Abstract
UHDD	Uniform Hospital Discharge Data
UHDDD	Uniform Hospital Discharge Data Demonstration
UHDDS	Uniform Hospital Discharge Data Set
UPRO	Utah Professional Review Organization
UR	Utilization Review

USDHEW	U.S. Department of Health, Education, and Welfare
USMGs	U.S. Medical Graduates
USPET	Urokinase-Streptokinase Pulmonary Embolism Trial
VA	U.S. Veterans Administration
VQE	Visa Qualifying Examination (FMGs)
WHO	World Health Organization
WONCA	World Organization of National Colleges and Academies (of General Practice)

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